WEATHER SYNOPSIS

The barometer remains abnormally high over Northern British Columbia. Fine, cold weather continues from the Coast to Manitoba.

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TROOPS FORCED TO FIRE ON BOMBAY RIOTERS

INTERIM REPORT FILED BY AUDITORS ATTACKS UNIVERSITY CONTRACT

Messrs. Helliwell, Maclachlan & Company Suggest That Tenders Should Have Been Placed on Competitive Basis—Deficit Reported on Land Settlement Department of About $1,500,000

Procrastination Regarding Sale of Refunding Issue Has Occasioned Loss

THE interim report of the audit that has been conducted by Helliwell, Maclachlan & Company, for the Government of the Province, was tabled in the Legislature yesterday afternoon. The report is not complete, but will be followed later by the main report, which will make, it is anticipated, a number of recommendations.

UNIVERSITY CONTRACTS

Criticism is offered of the method employed in the letting of the contract for the University Buildings to the E. J. Ryan Company on a 10 per cent plus plan. The work was to have been limited to $715,000, including architects fees, etc. In the original cost estimate the erectional cost was set at $600,000. When the work was completed the actual cost of the building had amounted to $895,000, while the total expenditure, including inspection, and architects' fees, had been $945,500.

It is pointed out in the report that the contract being one of that character it might have been regarded as a very attractive one to contractors, and the absence of any attempt to place it on a competitive basis is remarked upon. It might have been ascertained that in all undertakings of this kind the work might have been carried out on a 5 or 7 1-2 per cent basis instead of the 10 per cent.

COMPETITIVE BIDS

In connection with the science building it was set out in the report that the better practice would have been to call for competitive bids instead of passing it to the contractor here $22,470 of an added cost over the estimate had followed.

In connection with the university endowment lands, it is advised in the report that an aggressive policy should be followed in selling the lots in view of the fact that there is a large amount to be recouped.

It is also called to attention in the report that in disposing of the lots care were free evidently that had been placed through large real estate firms.

REFUNDING SITUATION

The refunding situation of February 2, 1928, is dealt with in the report, in which it is set out that "it could seem that the postponement of refunding had placed an added burden on the province." In support of this, the letters written by the Bank of Commerce to the Government in January, 1928, is quoted, setting out that there was accelerating when the Governments.

The report says that one-half of the per rent might have been saved to the province on a least $6,000,000 or $10,000 annually for twenty-five years if advantage had been taken of this warning by the Government the day.

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From the Colonist Tower

Thursday, Feb. 7

26th Day, 1929

THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds, continued fine and much change in temperature.

Sun Rises: 7:34 o'clock.
Sun Sets: 5:20 o'clock.
High Tide: 11:10 a.m., 5.6 feet.
Low Tide: 6:18 p.m., 1.6 feet.

Sport

Mayor of Seattle bans boxing indefinitely. News of missing colored negro fighter into death ring. Loughran says win over Ernstine assistant him to consideration as a heavyweight champion.

City basketball championship named. Victoria College athletes will compete in annual Varsity invitation tournament.

Hammond and Jardine contribute fine total for England in fourth test cricket match against Australians.

The News

Local and Provincial—

Colonel Nelson Spencer says no politicians with C.P.R. will fight French in solution of P.G.E. problem.

Union of British Columbia municipalities wishes Government to take over high schools.

Leader of Opposition asks ruling that orders-in-council are public property.

Auditors report filed by auditors attacks university contracts.

Granby Copper Company raises scale of wages.

Doukhobors repudiate "Sons of Freedom."

Fraser River bridges endangered contention, Imperial and Foreign—

Ottawa session opens.

Italy acknowledges Pope as independent sovereign.

SOLUTION OF P.G.E. ISSUE IS FORECAST

Col. Nelson Spencer, Who Went East With Premier, Gives Views to House—Seasonal Tariff on Fruits

CENTRAL RADIO SERVICE URGED

As one who had been appointed a director of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway, and who had gone East with Premier Tolmie a few weeks ago, the statement of Colonel Nelson Spencer yesterday afternoon in the House came as an encouraging message.

Colonel Spencer said that before the negotiations now in progress with the Canadian Pacific Railway closed there would be a solution of the problem that would be of great benefit to the province. It would relieve the people of British Columbia of the load carried in connection with the railway.

He contrasted the attitude of the two Governments in the matter, starting with the taking over of the P.G.E. and relieving the contractor from the duty in connection with the construction of it.

From the Opposition side came interruptions that the Vancouver Board of Trade had asked for this course.

CANNOT ESCAPE

"The Government cannot shirk the responsibility in the matter, he said," and Colonel Spencer "it must assume full responsibility for all the acts of the Legislature while it is in power."

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PAPAL STATE'S INDEPENDENCE ACKNOWLEDGED

Italy in Treaty With Vatican Recognizes Pope as Independent Sovereign of Territory Defined

OFFICIAL NOTICE PUBLICLY GIVEN

ROME, Feb. 6.—Pope Pius informed all nuncios, internuncios and apostolic delegates today that complete agreement had been reached with the Italian Government. He informed the entire diplomatic body accredited to the Holy See to attend on Thursday morning at 10 o'clock, for the purpose of receiving an official announcement.

The treaty settling the Roman question will be signed on Sunday at Lateran Palace. Cardinal Gasparri, papal secretary of state, will represent the Pope. Premier Mussolini will sign on behalf of King Victor Emmanuel. The treaty will form the first part of a concordat regulating all future relations between the Holy See and the Kingdom of Italy.

The terms providing for only a very small rectification of the present boundaries of the Apostolic Palace. The Pope has refused any enlargement of his territory to include Villa Doria.

SOVEREIGN PREROGATIVES

The new papal state will include a plot of ground on the southeastern side of the Vatican as far as the colonnade of St. Peter's. St. Peter's Square and both colonnades will be given to the Holy See, but the Italian Government will be entrusted with their upkeep. The Vatican has the right to ask that St. Peter's Square be closed to the public whenever it so desires.

The official name of the new papal territory will be the "Vatican City," or "the Vatican State." The Pope will have the right to erect his own railway station, telegraph, telephone, postal and wireless stations. He will be privileged to have an aviation field and will enjoy the right to coin money, issue bank notes, print postage stamps and exercise other sovereign prerogatives.

Not Etiquette To Revolt When Visitors There

MADRID, Feb. 6.—The pending arrival of the King and Queen of Denmark have tendered lively to overshadow Spain's political situation. The royal visitors left Paris yesterday for Madrid.

An official Government statement yesterday said it was not expected anyone would make an attempt against order or public peace during the visit of the Danish royalties.

Police Charge Rioting Crowd At Welsh Mine

CARDIFF, Wales, Feb. 6.—Police were forced to make two baton charges against a crowd of 500 men and women, who, armed with sticks and stones, menaced four men leaving the colliery at Ynsddu, Monmouthshire, today. The dispute arose following the refusal of members of the miners' federation to accept employers' terms for reopening of the pits, and the men attacked were charged, by the crowd with working for low rates of pay.

In the police charge several of the miners were felled to the ground and some blood was shed, though no one was seriously injured.

Not One Ship Comes Sailing From Overseas

VANCOUVER, Feb. 6.—Virtual disappearance of the romantic sailing ship from the high seas is revealed in the 1928 annual report of the Vancouver Harbor Board, compiled by T. S. Brown, statistician to the board, and made public today.

Not a single sailing ship from overseas port entered here in 1928. This, Mr. Brown said, was the first time in history no single "sailer" had docked in Burrard Inlet from foreign lands.

Of the deep sea vessels calling here, 1,247 were propelled by steam and 297 by motor.

Vancouver, also for the first time in her history handled more outbound than incoming cargo in 1928. The favorable balance of trade amounted to 207,458 tons.

Parliament Opens Session in Ottawa Today

THE above layout shows a most unusual view of the Victory Tower of the Ottawa Parliament Buildings, taken through an arch of the portico of the east block. On the right is Premier King, on the left above, Hon. R. B. Bennett, Conservative leader, and left, below, Hon. Rudolphe Lemieux, Liberal leader in the House of Commons. Among subjects to be dealt with at the coming session is the policy of the Government with regard to the joint construction by Canada and the United States of the works necessary to deepen the navigation channel in the St. Lawrence and through the Great Lakes to the ports on the east coast, so that this channel may be used by ocean-going ships of large capacity or by lake vessels of similar size. Other subjects are the disposal of the two million hydro-electric horsepower to be made available by the waters of the St. Lawrence waterway; the question of immigration from British and from the "nonpreferred" countries of Eastern Europe; the return of crown lands to Western provinces; and the competition between the C.P.R. and C.N.R. in the construction of lines into the region between the Saskatchewan and Churchill Rivers.

Fraser River Bridges Are In Danger of Destruction From Onward Rush of Ice

VANCOUVER, Feb. 6.—Mayor Malkin has dispatched a wire to Alex. Johnson, Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries, urging that steps be taken to afford relief in connection with the dangerous condition of ice in the North Arm of the Fraser River. The mayor asks that the Federal Department accede to the request of the North Fraser Harbor Board that emergency measures be taken to open up a channel in the North Arm.

Expressing grave fears regarding the safety of two bridges that cross the North Arm of the Fraser River at Fraser Avenue and Marpole, W. D. B. Hortsen, secretary of the North Fraser Harbor Commission, announced today that he has requested the Federal Government to grant an appropriation to cover the cost of ice-breaking on the river.

The North Arm is frozen from bank to bank. It is stated that in some places the ice is six inches thick. This prevents use of ordinary boats for smashing the ice.

GRANBY COPPER CO. RAISES PAY

Five Per Cent Increase to All Employees in British Columbia Is Announced by Management

ADVANCE SECOND IN FIVE MONTHS

Becoming effective on February 16, the Granby Copper Company will increase the wages of all employees in its plants by about 5 per cent.

This announcement, which is an indirect commentary on the condition of the copper market in view of the advanced prices which have now prevailed for some time, was made last night by Mr. Charles Hocking, vice-president and general manager of the company. Mr. Hocking, who has recently returned from California, is in the city for two or three days on business connected with the Granby Company's interests.

As only last October an all-round increase of about 10 per cent in the wages of the company's employees became effective, the forthcoming advance represents a total increase within five months of about 15 per cent. At their various plants throughout British Columbia the Granby people employ approximately 2,000 men, so that the increased annual payroll in this concern alone will make a creditable figure in the industrial returns for the year in this province.

Mr. Hocking reports that the copper market seems to be in a very satisfactory condition, with increased demand for the product for electrical, automobile, radio and numerous other uses. Europe is particularly interested in copper. The Granby company's production continues to be normal, with all the plants operating and without any setback on account of weather conditions, in any part of the province.

AIR MAIL TO PANAMA

COLON, Panama, Feb. 6.—Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh landed at France Field, outside the city at 4 p.m. today, completing the first air mail delivery from the United States to the Panama Canal zone.

TRANSFER OF HIGH SCHOOLS IS SUGGESTED

Five Per Cent of Province Bears Cost of Educating Ninety Per Cent of School Population

UNION ASKS FOR DRASTIC RELIEF

That the Government take over all high schools throughout the province and increase the grant towards teachers' salaries, or give other drastic relief to the already overburdened municipalities, was the application of the Union of British Columbia Municipalities to the municipal committee of the House at yesterday morning's session.

Alderman Bridgeman, of North Vancouver, speaking for the recommendation of the union, explained that it was twenty-three years since the Government had given an increase in the grant towards teachers' salaries. Furthermore, the cost of operating schools had been steadily increasing. In fact, each year saw an increase in the municipal mill rate as a result of increased operating costs. Teachers' salaries had increased 58 per cent during the last ten years, he said.

The municipalities educated 90 per cent of the population in the province, while the tax base for school education affected only 5 per cent of the province.

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Stout Clothing Saves Man on Chasm's Edge

PRINCE RUPERT, Feb. 6.—William Robb, of Prince Rupert, while hiking on Mount Hays, overlooking Prince Rupert harbor, slipped on a sleep slope. He rolled about one hundred feet reaching the verge of a chasm. When within a foot or so of the edge his progress caught on a root, which held fast long enough to allow others of the party to come up and draw him back to safety.

Orders-in-Council Are Public Property, Says Leader of Opposition

RIGHT of perusal of all orders-in-council by any one at any time during office hours within the general offices of the Provincial Secretary was demanded of the House in a motion introduced by Mr. T. D. Pattullo, Leader of the Opposition, and seconded by Mr. Thomas Uphill, Labor. The motion was introduced in the House yesterday afternoon and started a warly heated debate. Mr. Ian Mackenzie, member for North Vancouver, unexpectedly jumped into the debate on the motion just as Mr. Speaker was about to put the question. Threat of a division of the House was made by Mr. Pattullo during the course of his attack upon the Government for withholding orders-in-council from him.

Speaking to the motion, Mr. Pattullo said that in December he had applied for copies of orders-in-council and had been refused by the Provincial Secretary, who had told him he would take it up with his colleagues. After interviewing other ministers he had been told that Dr. MacLean could see the orders, or anyone the leader of the Opposition might appoint for that purpose. He had appealed to the Attorney-General, in the absence of the Premier, and had still been unable to obtain copies of the orders.

PUBLIC PROPERTY

Mr. Pattullo said that orders-in-council were decisions of the Government and therefore public property once they had been signed by the Lieutenant-Governor. Some of these orders were even changes in the laws of the country, and of necessity should be made public. The

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PATHANS AND HINDUS ATTACK EACH OTHER

Police and Troops Have Difficult Task in Second Largest City in India—Pathans and Their Sympathizers Have Seized Initiative Although Hindus Began Trouble

At Least Twenty-Two Killed And More Than 100 Injured

BOMBAY, India, Feb. 6 (C.P. Cable via Reuter's).—It is almost impossible to establish the number of casualties which occurred in the riots in Bombay today and yesterday arising from labor troubles and the antipathy between Pathans and Hindus, but at least twenty-two were killed and more than one hundred natives were injured. It is also established there were no casualties resulting from firing by troops on snipers here this morning. The municipal corporation, calling attention to the grave situation, has asked prominent citizens of all communities to attend a meeting tomorrow to find the best means of pacifying the public and restoring peace. Five Mohammedans and a number of Pathans are under arrest.

TROOPS FORCED TO FIRE

Moslem-Hindu troubles have developed for several days and resulted today in troops being forced to fire on rioters.

The city appeared quieter tonight. The presence of troops, posted at all important crossings and buildings where trouble occurred, had a reassuring effect.

Many shops, however, are closed, and the remainder are ready to shut down at a moment's notice. Small knots of Mohammedans line the streets being more watchful of developments that determined on action. It is evident the Pathans and their sympathizers have now seized the initiative.

Sporadic assaults have occurred throughout the day and hospitals still busy treating the injured, who are mostly people suffering from blows or knife wounds. No less than forty such cases were treated today at one hospital.

The task of the police and troops is most difficult. While all is quiet in the immediate vicinity, a sudden rush may occur quite close in on one of the normally congested streets.

Wild rumors gained currency and are generally impossible to verify or refute, but one circulated this afternoon to the effect that martial law would be proclaimed is authoritatively denied.

DOUKHOBORS MAKE PUBLIC REPUDIATION

Self-Respect of Community Hurt by Being Confused in Public Mind With Weird Fanatic Outsiders

COMMUNITY HEADS SIGN STATEMENT

NELSON, B.C., Feb. 6.—That the Doukhobors of the Christian Community of Universal Brotherhood are not in any way associated with the recent actions of the "Sons of Freedom," a handful of fanatics which has broken away from the Community, is emphatically stated in a letter issued today for publication, and signed by Peter Verigin, president, and W. R. Rieben, secretary, of the Doukhobor organization.

In connection with the activities of the "Sons of Freedom" in withdrawing the children from schools, interfering with police officers, and with the battle at Grand Forks when tear gas was used and several of the fanatics arrested, the statement says:

"There is rumor that at the time of these drastic raids there was a great battle. This is untruth. Everyone who had a chance to see this so-called battle, frankly speaking, would only enjoy a cheerful laugh."

STRONG CONDEMNATION

In reference to the fanatics' activities, the statement says:

"This dirty work of provocators is approaching an end like any ordinary illness.

"The Christian Community of Universal Brotherhood had nothing to do and never will have any connection with this people or with their dirty and insolent violence and all their stupid, childish actions, such as unclothing to the skin. All these persons do not belong to the Community. The Community is not taking any responsibility for their actions materially or morally, and, moreover, the Community refuses to consider such persons as brothers and to have any connection with them.

The Community is guided by reason and will go with it further."

HON. JAMES JOHNSON DIES

WINNIPEG, Feb. 6.—Hon. James Johnson, Conservative, former Speaker of the Manitoba Legislature and former without portfolio in the Sir Hugh John Macdonald administration of 1900, died at Boissevain, Man., today from influenza and complications.

Hunger Drives Rumanians to Storm Depots

KISHINEV, Bessarabia, Rumania, Feb. 6.—Hundreds of men, women and children attacked the emergency food depots here yesterday and smashed windows, wrecked furniture and seized the small remaining supply of food.

The situation has been greatly aggravated because of the temporary of food trains which are marooned in heavy snow between Bessarabia and Bucharest.

A delegation of Bessarabian mayors is now proceeding to the capital to appeal to Premier Maniu to save the situation.

COLOR BLAZES IN OTTAWA AS HOUSE OPENS

Parliament of Canada Reassembles Today to Accompaniment of Ancient Ceremonial Proceedings

SUMMONS IS GIVEN IN TWO LANGUAGES

OTTAWA, Feb. 6.—The eye of the nation will focus on the capital tomorrow when, to the accompaniment of dignified and ancient ceremonial, the third session of Canada's Sixteenth Parliament will open. Dedicated for the past six months, Parliament Hill will again be a blaze of color.

Preceded by a cavalry escort from the Princess Patricia Regiment, clad in full dress and bearing their pennoned lances, the Governor-General will drive from Rideau Hall. Reclaiming an ancient Citizen citizen, His Excellency tomorrow will undertake the journey in an open sleigh.

"The opening" is one of the annual "feeds" given by the society of the capital. It is one of the few occasions when the corridors of Parliament Buildings hear the swish and rustle of silken raiment as hundreds of ladies and gentlemen, outside the Senate to witness the ceremonies.

His Excellency seats himself on the throne, wearing a magnificently dressed in Windsor uniform, on his left the Speaker of the Senate, Hon. Raoul Dandurand, similarly arrayed, on his left. To the rear and on either side are soldiers, sailors and airmen. With much genuflection, His Excellency's wishes are made known to his secretary, who in turn conveys them to the gentleman usher of the Black Rod. This official then traverses the

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Ottawa Cabinet Dodges Decision On Power Canal

OTTAWA, Feb. 6.—There will be no decision with regard to the Beauharnois Power and Navigation Canal scheme until Parliament has had an opportunity of discussing it. This was officially intimated tonight, following a session of the cabinet.

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He was surprised at the audacity of Mr. Ian Mackenzie at asking what this Government had done in the matter of the P.G.E., after the bungling that had followed in that connection with the late Government it was a wonder to him that the issue should be raised. He believed that the present Premier and directors of the P.G.E. would solve the problem.

There was nothing that the late Government would not have done to get a deal for the railway before the election of 1928.

The acts of the Governmnet of that time had been such that no responsible organization wanted to do business with it. The Canadian Pacific Railway and the Canadian National Railways had been tried, but the Government had utterly failed in doing anything with them.

Premier Tolmie, after a few months in power had been able to set in motion negotiations that promised a solution.

Colonel Spencer dealt with the timber policy of the late Government, and made suggestions along the line of conservation and reforestation. He also stressed the need of seasonal tariffs for the protection of the fruit and vegetables of the province against the United States product.

CAPITAL ATTRACTED

It was noteworthy, he said, how leaders of industry had quickly been attracted to give interest here with the change of Government. Already Eastern capital had banded together to engage in an important undertaking in Vancouver. This would be extended.

Colonel Spencer thanked the people of Vancouver for the honor done him, although he had been only about six years resident in the province. He had sat in the Alberta Legislature for six years, and therefore he advocated the closest co-operation between the Governments of the two provinces in all commercial lines. The ports of British Columbia were, he felt, now realized to be as much the ports of Alberta as of British Columbia.

Colonel Spencer referred in order to the industries of the province and the riches it possessed in these lines.

The member went into details of the debt when the late Government took office and the conditions today, arguing that, while sinking funds were provided, the Province was drawing heavily from the natural timber resources of British Columbia, over $30,000,000 being collected from timber during the last few years. This was drawing upon the capital resources of the Province. While this $30,000,000 had been withdrawn, the Government had put back $12,000,000 in the sinking funds. He advocated reforestation, so that the devastation could be met by replacement.

He maintained that the late election showed that the people had grown tired of debts, of unsolved irrigation, marketing and railway problems, which hung like an anchor about the necks of the people.

MARKETING PROBLEM

The Government of the day should do all it could to get the products on the market by the cheapest freight and express rates. The Government would be well advised in borrowing money freely to give good roads for the farmers, and in this connection he advocated a hard surfaced road from Vancouver and New Westminster to Agassiz and Chilliwack. It would make that valley prove prosperous, and might solve the problem of selling the Sumas lands.

Referring to changed economic conditions, he thought the Government might perhaps do something towards assisting in giving outlying parts of the country a central radio service.

The marketing question was taken up by Colonel Spencer. If markets were available the farmers would be placed in a favorable position, the minister said. It was true that trade matters were in the hands of the Dominion Government. But the influence of the Government of the province should be used in order to make the Prairie Provinces available as the market for British Columbia fruit.

He recalled the practice of the Prairie grain growers. They co-operated to build elevators and to secure low rates for their products. They obtained the most favorable rates anywhere obtained.

The people of Canada agreed to this, realizing they were helping a great basic product. The building of the Hudson Bay Railway was also done to aid in this direction. It was not unreasonable to have the West made available for the fruitgrowers of British Columbia.

RESTRICTION OF IMPORTS

He was of the opinion that nothing should be spared to bring about conditions by which the fruit from outside Canada should be shut out of the markets here for six weeks, during which British Columbia fruit was coming in. They would then have a prosperous country.

Dealing with the question of timber, Colonel Spencer said this was a vital matter for the province. He asked the leader of the Opposition what he would do in the face of his long experience in the timber administration?

TARIFF QUESTION

Speaking of the tariff, he said it was time Canadians looked after themselves and turned towards the people of Great Britain. A reciprocity pact was tried, and it was turned down by Canadians because it was realized that the arrangement might be cancelled at any time.

It was time Canadians took stock of their own industries and of their own people, and built up a home market under their own Government. This was the only market the people absolutely controlled.

The people of British Columbia were not dependent upon the United States market entirely. There was one part of the industry that would be struck rather severely if the threatened United States tariff went into effect. This was the shingle industry. He did not think the other departments of the industry would suffer much. He was not sure the duty advocated would go on. Any representations by the British Columbia or the Canadian Government would have no effect, the speaker said.

The wise policy of British Columbia was to keep the growth of timber in the province up to the cut of the year. About $3,000,000 a year was coming into the treasury of the province. There should be such amounts expended as would prevent the waste in the industry.

Speaking of labor and employment, Colonel Spencer said that every time capital was turned away from the province, labor was injuriously affected.

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Because of these iniquities the union was asking for drastic relief by the Government, Alderman Bridgman said, suggesting that the Government might take over the high schools from the municipalities and increase the grant towards teachers' salaries.

"The union is prepared to stand behind the Government regardless of politics in any steps that it might have to take in the increasing of provincial taxes or bringing into effect a new tax as long as relief is given to the municipalitise," he said.

Mr. R. F. Blandy, municipal clerk of Oak Bay, filed with the committee figures showing the burden of school costs upon the municipalities as a whole throughout the province.

With these figures he filed the documentary case of the union for relief. In this report it was stated that "it is sometimes contended that the financial condition of the municipalities is very satisfactory. It is difficult to understand this view in the face of our enormous monicipal debt of $113,000,000, or $250 per capita; our stationary taxable assessment, our immense areas of tax sale lands and our heavy mill rates. No less than twenty-seven of our municipalities have mill rates ranging from forty to sixty-four mills. Such rates as these are dangerous."

There were too many householders getting free education, it was contended. The property-holder had to bear the burden of educating the children of parents who paid no taxes to the municipality. This was borne out by the fact that the municipalities educated 90 per cent of the population and that only 5 per cent of the people were taxed for education.

The committee decided to stand the matter over and have a consultation with the Minister of Education before reaching a decision that it could recommend to the House.

UKRAINIANS PROTEST

WINNIPEG, Feb. 6.—Heading a list of foreign signed petitions from the West, a protest against the ruling limiting immigration of Central Europeans, signed by 50,000 naturalized Ukrainians, is slated to be sent to Ottawa in the near future, it was stated here today.

Orders-in-Council Are Public Property, Says Leader of Opposition

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speaker admitted that there were documents such as police reports, etc., that might be strictly confidential, but the orders themselves, when once passed by the council and signed by the Lieutenant-Governor, were public documents and every member of the House should have the opportunity of seeing them, and even the general public.

Mr. Pattullo wanted to know what the leader of the Labor party was to do to find out what these orders-in-council were. No right had been extended to him yet.

To aggravate the situation, Mr. Pattullo said, he had been refused copies of the orders-in-council, which were public documents, at a time when the private sale of bonds had been decided upon.

"This matter would probably not have been given the public yet had I not made it public on the floor of this House," Mr. Pattullo declared. "These orders are not the property of the administration but the property of the people of this province once those orders have been signed by the Lieutenant-Governor."

Colonel Nelson Spencer interrupted by saying that "probably my honorable friend, the Leader of the Opposition, would have us issue copies of these orders to the press."

"And why should not the press be given copies? Is not the press the mouthpiece for the public? Do we not have to rely greatly upon the press to inform the people of the various enactments in this House?" Mr. Pattullo replied amidst applause from the Opposition benches.

Mr. Twigg said that in 1919, when in opposition, he had asked the then Government for the same privilege and he had been refused. Mr. Pattullo endeavored to frustrate this charge by quoting records of the journals of 1919.

"Surely because the Premier was absent at the time he is not going to be dictated to by his own ministers. This is a very serious question in which I shall press for a division of the House.

"It is a question of whether we are going to conduct business above boards or behind closed doors."

DIGNITY BELITTLED

Thomas Uphill, in seconding the motion, said, "when I heard that Dr. MacLean could see these orders; Dr. MacLean, who then was no longer a member of the Legislature, I was interested to know where I stood in the matter. I am the official leader of a great party, and to be ignored in this matter belittles the dignity of my office.

"I would like to know if the Government is passing any orders that will not stand the light of day that they will not allow anyone to see copies of these orders," he said.

"We might just as well join the Ku Klux Klan if we are to be kept from knowing what these orders are, and I don't believe this Government wishes to belong to any hooded organization that cannot conduct its business in the open."

MINISTER REPLIES

Hon. S. L. Howe, Provincial Secretary, said that what Mr. Pattullo had told the House was incorrect. Mr. Pattullo had been given copies of the orders-in-council within ten days after his application. The Government wished to ascertain the right procedure before committing itself to an action that might not be according to the rules of procedure.

"Mr. Pattullo would have you believe that he had been refused these orders for a long time, but let me read you the letters that were exchanged between myself and Mr. Pattullo."

Mr. Howe then read letters to show that Mr. Pattullo had been kept only a matter of ten days without the orders until the matter could be straightened out. There was no leader of the Opposition at that time, except Dr. MacLean, who was then not a member of the Legislature. Until a new leader had been appointed Dr. MacLean still retained that position.

The Speaker was about to put the question to the House when Mr. Ian Mackenzie moved the adjournment of the debate, thus giving announcement that he would debate the point at the next meeting of the House.

COLOR BLAZES IN OTTAWA AS HOUSE OPENS

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lengthy corridor to the Lower House and, after administering three authoritative raps on the door of the Commons, is admitted by the sergeant-at-arms. Thereupon, following three bows to the Speaker of the House, he delivers his message:

"His Excellency the Governor-General desires the immediate presence of the members of this honorable House in the Chamber of the honorable Senate."

REPEATED IN FRENCH

This is repeated in French, following which Black Rod withdraws, and a procession, preceded by the sergeant-at-arms carrying the mace, and headed by the Speaker, is formed, the members of the House of Commons falling in behind the Speaker.

The Speech from the Throne is read in both English and French, whereupon the Commoners withdrew to heir own chamber to await the arrival of the Prime Minister. Before any other business is done, the Commons make their annual gesture of independence by introducing Bill No. 1. Nothing more is ever heard of this measure, but it is an act which indicates that the House of Commons reserves to itself the right to take up other matters giving attention to business to which its attention is called by the King.

Adjournment will be taken immediately after this and the House will reassemble on Friday, when C. E. Perland, Liberal, Joliette, will move the presentation to His Excellency of an Address of Thanks in Reply to the Speech from the Throne. Thus will the 1929 session be inaugurated.

Death Penalty Demanded From Northcott Jury

COURTROOM, RIVERSIDE, Cal., Feb. 6.—The state today demands of a jury of twelve men that it "rid Riverside County and the State of California for once and all of the malignant influence of Gordon Stewart Northcott."

"We do not ask, we do not request, we do not beg the death penalty at your hands in this case," Special Prosecutor Loyal C. Kelley told the jury in his opening argument, "but we demand it."

Northcott raised his head now and then to look at the prosecutor and laugh shortly, but otherwise appeared little impressed. When Kelley had concluded his speech of more than an hour and a half, Northcott rose calmly from his seat to suggest an adjournment, "as it will hardly be worth while for me to start an argument at this hour."

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Interim Report Filed By Auditors Attacks University Contract

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In the report it is recommended that there should be a revision of the accounting system in certain particulars so as to avoid duplication which occurs at the present time. More up-to-date methods in this respect are recommended.

WOULD ELIMINATE ITEM

While there is no statement as yet forthcoming as to the exact standing of the public debt, one recommendation at least is made in the matter of the preparation of the balance sheet, and this is that the Dominion of Canada capital account should not be shown as an asset. It appears as $14,776,333 and this item the auditors think should be eliminated from the assets.

The reasons advanced for this opinion is that there has been no outlay of cash by the province in acquiring of this; that there is no obligation on the part of the Dominion to pay more than the annual grant; it is not assignable as assets; and that the grants are perpetual and that it is therefore not possible to estimate the capital value of it.

It is remarked upon that the item of $17,127,596 as the value of provincial buildings and furniture had not been reviewed from the standpoint of depreciation, although the matter appeared to have been under consideration by the treasury board in 1926.

LAND SETTLEMENT

The deficit in connection with the Land Settlement Department is placed by the auditors at $1,561,517, as at August 31, 1928. This, it is pointed out, does not take into account other losses such as the collection, if such is enforced, and the disposing of land that might revert.

There had been the sum of $6,000,000 advanced on this work. There was a deficit of $757,000 shown, not including the interest or expenses from 1926 to August, 1928.

This covers the Sumas reclamation project, Nicomen Island, Cameron and Surrey dyking projects.

In the matter of the Sumas project it is set out that the total assets are $4,616,938.99; the liabilities are set out as $51,951.02. This leaves an amount owing to the Land Settlement Board of $4,564,987.97.

The statement with respect to the inscribed stock of the province and the debentures, as appearing in the accounts, is accepted by the auditors. The sinking funds of the province on August 31 are shown to amount to $1,300,000 over the requirements. The inscribed stock in London had a surplus over and above the requirements of $1,195,452.

INDUSTRIAL FUNDS

Dealing with the industrial funds, it is suggested that if it were the hope to recover some of the amounts which were in arrears, it would be necessary to show a more aggressive policy in the matter. It was evident in connection with some of the loans that there was a very apathetic attitude shown. It is also recommended that if no more money is to be used in connection with loans, the better plan would be to close the department up.

CONSERVATION FUND

Under the heading of the conservation fund advances, it is forecast that a loss to the province is to be expected. As a result of the discussions with respect to the situation and the proposals for reductions in the capital charges, it appeared that there was no wholehearted attempt on the part of some to reduce the indebtedness. In view of the whole situation the recommendation was made that the financing of the undertakings should be carried out through other channels than the Government.

The Soldiers' Land Settlement aid represented $3,200,994.44. The report said that only a very superficial survey had as yet been possible, but from what could be seen of it, the belief was that there would be a very considerable loss to the province.

LIQUOR STOCKS

In dealing with the Liquor Control Board, it was set out that there was on September 30, 1928, in stock in Victoria and Vancouver warehouses respectively liquor of the value of $700,000 and $800,000.

It was recommended by the auditors that these warehouse supplies might be reduced to a lower level of two months' supply, which would release $300,000 of capital invested.

HIGHWAYS VALUATION

In the matter of the highways valuation which was altered in 1926 from something like $14,000,000, and placed at $48,111,000; the report goes into the matter to some extent, but was unable to fix any basis for arriving at a fair valuation of the highways.

General Booth Is Opposed to Any Compromise

LONDON, Feb. 6.—General Bramwell Booth, in today's issue of The War Cry, official publication of The Salvation Army, explained his attitude in opposing the efforts of the high council to oust him. He said that he stood "for the constitution of the Salvation Army as interpreted by the foundation deed."

The general expressed grief that doubts should have assailed the "capable, thoughtful men who have done splendid work for the Army," as to the rightness of the founder's plan.

He added: "I see no middle course. I must follow the Army flag and adhere to the foundation principles—that splendid heritage which the founder bequeathed to us."

Another article in The War Cry, which was not signed, purported to give the reasons why General Booth went to law to halt the council proceedings. It said that the general, as trustee, considered it necessary to put forth every effort to prevent possible interference with the original purposes and the principles of the foundation deed poll of 1878.

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SHOULD DEFY DOMINION ON ASIATIC ISSUE

Such Is Suggestion Offered to Agricultural Committee of Legislature by Fraser River Resident

COMPETITION TOO SEVERE

Capt. J. D. Groves, of Westholme, representing the returned men and also the Farmers' Institute, made the suggestion to the agricultural committee of the Legislature yesterday that the Government of the Province take a firm stand in the matter of the Oriental situation in the Province and insist upon the Dominion Government legislating against the Orientals buying land in the Province. He said that he would also have included leasing, but it had been thought wise not to go too far at first.

The matter came up after the situation of the Oriental in this Province had been discussed at some length.

Mr C. E. Hope, of Fort Langley, speaking as a farmer, presented the situation from the standpoint of that industry, and contended that it was becoming very difficult to keep the boys of the white race on the farms under the prevailing conditions. His method of dealing with the proposition was one of taking most determined action along the line which California did with Washington, and even disobey the ruling of the Ottawa Government if it would not accede to the just demands of this Province.

ACTION ELSEWHERE

California did this, and Australia had done it in the face of the London authorities years ago, with the result that something was done. The Oriental question and the competition that was met from that source by the farmers was a much more serious matter than the marketing or the milk control.

Members of the committee asked what was to be done. It was pointed out that there was a united opinion in the Province with regard to the matter, but the great thing was how to overcome it. The Oriental was hired by white farmers and by railway companies because he could be depended upon in the matter of work and gave better returns for the wages paid.

Dr. Gillis said he felt that there was behind it all other reasons for the trouble over the Oriental competition. If the whites would cooperate, the matter could be settled at once.

Mr Hope advocated that a publicity campaign should be started in order to bring the eastern parts of the Dominion to the British Columbia view.

Mr W. P. Kennedy said that it was not the wish of the people of this Province to have white people brought to compete with Orientals, and in this connection he depicted the methods of living that were followed by the latter.

APPEAL OF CITIES

The chairman of the committee, Mr. Berry, said that land was rented to the Orientals because better rates could be obtained from them If the situation were to continue as it was, there would be great difficulty in keeping the boys of this country at home. Boys could not be kept in this country if the same conditions were to prevail as the old-time farmers followed and which had been depicted by Dr. Gillis.

The great trouble in keeping white boys on the farm was nearly all traceable, he said, to the Oriental situation.

Mr. Hope suggested, in reply to Dr. H. C. Wrinch as to what practical plans could be followed, that licences be issued to all engaged in lines of industry by the Province and not by the municipality. He would make the tests such that an Oriental could not comply, but that a white man could.

Dr. Wrinch felt that the Dominion would disallow

Mr. Hope felt they should be prepared to defy the Dominion in the matter

Jersey Cattle Show Increase Of 50 Per Cent

TORONTO, Feb. 6—At the annual meeting of the Canadian Jersey Cattle Club held here, reports of registration and transfers allowed a marked increase, the figures for 1928 being 24,079 as against 15,480 in 1927

J. W McGillivray, Chilliwack, B.C., was elected a vice-president.

Extension Lecture

Professor Hurney will be the speaker at tonight's meeting of the University Extension Association, which will be held in Victoria College at 8 15, "The Genius of Judge Haliburton" being his subject. This lecture will serve to introduce to the present generation the writings of a noted Canadian humorist and should be of great interest The general public is invited to attend.

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Not many men at 30 today, especially city men, can run five miles straight away, in any time Yet, on September, 27, 1928, Dr Robt G. Jackson, at 70, did this in forty-five minutes, before 8 a.m It's only a matter of keeping the blood normally alkaline, or non-acid, which he does by eating alkaline Roman Meal, the only alkali-forming grain food, because the only food containing flaxin. Because of a diseased heart, twenty years ago, Dr Jackson was given only four months to live Now he can suspend his body between two chairs, resting on heels and head, with 180 pounds on his abdomen—a great feat at any age, but at 70, marvellous! Write for free booklet, "HOW TO KEEP WELL," and other literature, to ROBT. G JACKSON, M.D., 315 Vine Avenue, Toronto 8, Ont., or write for free sample of Roman Meal. (Advt.)

Tribute Paid to General Currie as Former Citizen

A TRIBUTE to General Sir Arthur Currie was paid by Colonel Nelson Spencer in speaking on the Address in Reply in the House yesterday He said the city of Victoria had had the honor of sending to the Great War one of the greatest soldiers.

Unfortunately for some months General Currie's health had not been what it should be, and he expressed the hope that the general would have a speedy recovery. Colonel Spencer said no greater commander of the Allied Forces served in the war.

ELECTIONS IN DECEMBER MAY BE ORDERED

Municipalities to Be Circularized to Ascertain Views on Change of Election Date

INSPECTOR FAVORS EARLIER CAMPAIGN

The sixty-one municipalities in the Province will be circularized by the Government to ascertain their views on the question of changing the municipal elections from the month of January to the month of December.

The Union of British Columbia Municipalities asked the municipal committee of the House yesterday to amend the Municipal Act to make it permissible for a municipality to hold its election in December rather than in January. Alderman Bridgman pointed out that the union was only unanimous insofar as the legislation would not be compulsory. There were some who did not wish to change the date of their election.

He pointed out, however, that there were certain advantages to be gained by having the elections held in December. The campaign was finished before the Christmas vacation, and the new council was given a one-month start on the work for the new year as under the present system. It was contended by some, he said, that to effect this change the municipalities would need to also change to end of its fiscal year to the end of November.

Mr. Robert Baird, inspector of municipalities, said that the elections in December were more desirable, but that it would be inadvisable to have only some of the municipalities do this and the others continuing under the existing arrangements The change, he said, should be uniform.

With a view to getting the census of opinion the committee will recommend that the municipalities be circularized to ascertain whether they are in favor of the December election and also as to whether they are in favor or not of a change in the fiscal year When their views have been ascertained the committee next year can then deal with the subject more intelligently.

SCHOOL FEE IS NEW NECESSITY

VISITING CHILDREN GET EDUCATION AT NO COST TO NON-RESIDENT PARENTS

Municipal Committee of House Hears Request for Lower Land Registry Fees

Power to charge fees to parents sending their children to schools in a municipality in which they do not reside is sought by the Union of British Columbia Municipalities. The case in support of this application to the Government was laid before the municipal committee of the House yesterday

It was pointed out by Alderman Bridgman, on behalf of the union, that many students attend schools in a municipality in which their parents do not live by virtue of the fact that they live with friends or relations. Also parents on the Prairies send their children to friends on the Coast, and because these children reside with their parents' friends in a British Columbia municipality they get their education without any charge being placed upon their parents.

What really lies behind the application of the union is that the attendance of a child at school should depend on the district in which his parents live, and not where the students live.

It was also suggested by the union to the municipal committee that, the Industrial Disputes Act of Canada not being applicable to civic and municipal employees, the Provincial Government enact legislation for the establishment of conciliation boards whereby any dispute relative to wages, salaries and working conditions which may arise between municipalities and their employees dealing with mutual settlement, could be submitted for investigation and report to the bodies affected.

A reduction in the registry office fees in connection with tax sale land was asked for by the union. It was pointed out that the legislation at present calls for the registration of each separate parcel of land. The union wants to be able to register land in blocks and reduce the expense to the municipalities. It was pointed out that in one case where a syndicate might have bought en bloc the tax sale property of one municipality, the registration fees would have been greater than the total price offered for the land by the syndicate.

Reichstag Ratifies Pact

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Radio - Telephony Project Explained to Legislators by Chairman of Directors

"If the Province of British Columbia is ever to be connected up by telephone it will be by means of radio," said Mr. G. H. Halse, chairman of the board of the B.C. Telephone Company, which is now seeking from the Legislature the right to operate radio lines in order to supplement the telephone connections.

Speaking before the Private Bills Committee of the House yesterday, Mr Halse, who is the one who is responsible for the action which is being made, explained that for some time the work in hand would be that of experimental operations The cost to his company in carrying this out would be $100,000 alone for the experimental stages

He saw no way of connecting Vancouver, Victoria, Stewart, Anyox, Prince Rupert and the other parts of the province except by way of radio. Only after some $100,000 had been spent would they be able to say whether the scheme would be a success.

The Dominion Government, which controlled the radio operations, was very sympathetic with the plan, Mr Halse said, and was lending all the aid that it could. The Provincial Government was also showing its interest, and had placed at the disposal of the company the forestry equipment at Campbell River while the Dominion Government accorded the use of the Cape Lazo wireless station facilities for carrying on the experiments.

Mr. Halse told of the experiments by means of the rather crude methods so far concerned, by which communication was successfully carried on between Cape Lazo and Chicago. Use was made of the radio between Cape Lazo and Campbell River, where the telephone line was connected up with and carried on to Chicago.

It was pointed out that the radio plants would not be located in big centres. The telephone lines would be carried as far as it was practically possible Thence the connections would be established with the outside points There was a deep interest being taken in the matter by residents of the west coast of Vancouver Island. The intention was when the real testing out began, to establish a station at Campbell River and another at Powell River. The carrying out of investigations preceding this would occupy a considerable time, as it was known, that some places could not be very successfully worked

The committee then went into the consideration of the bill in detail, with Mr J. D. Duncan as solicitor representing the company. The situation being an entirely new one, serious consideration was given to the various parts of the bill.

DEATHS IN BRITAIN

LONDON, Feb. 6.—Outstanding deaths reported in Great Britain today included those of Sir Hamilton Freer Smythe, retired naval commander; John Chambers, a leading personality of Goole, and Captain Isaac Coffin, ninety-three, one of last surviving veterans of the Crimean War Captain Coffin was born in Saint John, N.B.

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VANCOUVER ISLAND'S ROADS

The Associated Boards of Trade of Vancouver Island have taken the broad view regarding road development and that attitude quite obviously has been governed by what are considered commercial and industrial needs. There are seven definite recommendations to be made to the Provincial Government. Immediate construction of the road to Tofino from Sproat Lake is advocated. There is a request that the Island Highway should be continued to Menzies Bay, and thence to Seymour Narrows. A third recommendation is for the completion of the Alberni-Cumberland road, and a fourth that the Ocean Highway (hitherto described as a West Coast Road) should be continued by way of Port San Juan to give service to the principal communities in the Alberni district. It is, moreover, recommended that in all future road construction on Vancouver Island a reasonable width of standing timber should be preserved on each side of the highways, wherever possible.

The Associated Boards are to ask the Provincial Government to use any influence it may possess with the Federal authorities to bring about development of the harbor at Port San Juan. To provide safety for shipping there a breakwater would be necessary and such a public work is strictly a Federal affair. The provision at Port San Juan of a safe harbor would prove a great encouragement to the lumber industry, in view of the immense timber resources of the Renfrew district, and it would also probably lead to the development of promising mineral resources. Industrial development in that area would justify the construction of the proposed highway to that point and its continuation to the Alberni district. The Provincial Government knows how great are the forest and mineral resources of the Renfrew district and should be able to present a very forcible argument for harbor development to the Federal authorities.

The satisfactory feature of the meeting of the executive of the Boards of Trade of Vancouver Island is that it should have discussed Vancouver Island development from the standpoint of transportation needs as a whole. It has now a definite Vancouver Island policy on which to concentrate and whatever delegation it may send to the Provincial Government to advocate what is proposed can emphasize what are regarded as the most important undertakings for immediate construction. The Government, to the extent that it is able to engage in road construction on Vancouver Island, can hardly fail to be impressed with the recommendations that will be submitted to it. The decisions of the Associated Boards are such as augur well for future unity of action in the interests of Vancouver Island.

U.S. NAVAL EXPANSION

The decision of the United States to embark on an extensive programme of cruiser building has been taken for granted for several months past, despite the Kellogg Peace Pact and whatever its implications may prove to be. The Senate, by an overwhelming majority, has approved the provision of fifteen new cruisers and an airplane carrier at a cost in all of $274,000,000. The legislation providing for this naval expansion will receive the approval of President Coolidge. Construction of some of the vessels will start this year and all the ships provided for in the new programme must be laid down by July 1, 1931. When these vessels are in commission the cruiser strength of the United States will have been increased to 296,000 tons.

The naval expansion policy of the United States will bring about a radical change in the ratio of cruiser strength as between the principal world Powers. It means that any future conference among these Powers on the subject of a reduction of naval armaments must bristle with new difficulties. American sentiment has been sedulously fostered to a belief that the country, in naval strength, must be maintained on a parity with the greatest of naval Powers. The roots of this doctrine became embedded deeply during the latter years of the Great War when it was found that the transportation of American troops to the battlefields of France was only possible under the protecting aegis of the British Navy. It was that experience, as much as any development that has taken place since, which predetermined the cruiser policy on which the United States is now embarking. It is a policy that in no quarter outside the United States can be open to hostile criticism. The attitude of other nations in the matter of naval expansion will, no doubt, continue to be governed—having regard to the limitations imposed on capital ships—by national needs for defence and their commitments overseas.

WAR DEBTS

When Great Britain funded her war debt to the United States it was generally conceded that the question was settled for all time, that is to say, that there would be no abatement of the American claims, and that Britain on her part would not so much as hint that the colossal payment which she undertook to make might in the future be watered down. Interest in all that relates to the world's war debts is being quickened by the preparations now being made to fix finally the total amount which Germany has to pay by way of reparations. America is watching these preparations with lively interest. Mr. Hoover takes office as President of the United States on March 4, pledged to continue President Coolidge's policy so far as Allied debts to the United States are concerned. Few people in the United States, however, (says a special correspondent of The News of the World) believe that the war debts question is finally settled, and Mr. Hoover, before the end of the year, is to be asked to appoint a commission to ascertain "what, if any, offsets to American demands the Allies are entitled to by reason of the services of the Allied armies during five-sixths of the time of America's participation in the struggle."

Most of the foregoing services, it is suggested, may well be set against the debts of the Allies, and debt-refunding terms altered accordingly. The movement to secure reconsideration is headed by many promient men in the United States, including, Mr. George Wickersham, former Attorney-General of the United States; Mr. Newton Baker, Secretary for War during the years of conflict; Mr. William C. Redfield, Secretary of Commerce during the same period, and a number of other citizens prominent in public, religious and educational life. General John F. O'Ryan, General James G. Harbord, and General Pershing are quoted as representing nearly all the senior officers of the Army in declaring that the Allies should not be compelled to pay the entire expense incurred in keeping armies at the front for eighteen months while America was getting ready.

General O'Ryan, a gallant officer, who played a distinguished part in the fighting in France while brigaded with the British, puts the case for revision as follows. "Almost all the senior officers of the American Army feel we have a narrow point of view of the foreign debt. We entered the war in partnership with Britain and France against the common enemy, and we were expected to play a man's role. We were not ready. Fourteen months elapsed before we took over a section of the line, and in that time one-third of that line was held by British and French. They did the dying." The above is trenchant comment, coming from such a source, especially as the author avers that the sentiments expressed reveal the inner thoughts of his country's fighting men. However, any move for redress from a heart-breaking burden must come from the world's greatest creditor herself. Britain, as she has always done, will pay to the last dollar written on the bond, however severe upon her resources may be the payment of the instalments as they fall due, or whatever private feelings she may entertain with regard to the equity of the impost. That is the British way.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 6 p.m., February 6, 1929.

TEMPERATURES

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	27	38
Vancouver	20	36
Nanaimo	19	37
Kamloops	2	4
Barkerville	..	12
Estevan Point	24	42
Prince Rupert	26	36
Atlin	10b	6
Dawson	36b	13b
Seattle	26	36
Portland	30	33
San Francisco	46	54
Spokane	10	20
Los Angeles	50	54
Penticton	0	26
Vernon	7	6
Grand Forks	13b	6
Nelson	1b	24
Kaslo	1b	22
Cranbrook	14	22
Calgary	16b	14
Edmonton	16b	6
Swift Current	30b	2
Prince Albert	26b	0
Qu'Appelle	32b	6
Winnipeg	20b	2b

FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate northerly winds; continued fine and not much change in temperature.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Continued fine and not much change in temperature.

WEDNESDAY

Maximum	38
Minimum	27
Average	32
Minimum on the grass	16

Bright sunshine, 6 hours 54 minutes.
General state of the weather, clear.

5 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 30.31; wind, N., 4 miles; clear.
Vancouver—Barometer, 30.28; calm; clear.
Kamloops—Barometer, 30 42; calm; clear.
Barkerville—Barometer, 30.34; calm; clear
Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.38; calm; clear
Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.30; wind, N.W., 12 miles; fair.
Tatoosh—Barometer, 30 26; wind, E., 14 miles; clear
Portland—Barometer, 30.26, wind, E, 14 miles, cloudy.
Seattle—Barometer, 30.30, wind, N.E., 4 miles; fair.
San Francisco—Barometer, 29 76; wind, N.W., 13 miles; clear.

"STEPPING WESTWARD"

("Almost the last time I met Bronson Howard was at a dinner given in honor of American dramatists in New York, October, 1908. He had aged, and, in speaking across the table to him, I said 'Old friend, you and I are stepping westward'")

Old friend, when many friends had gathered round,
Two years ago, to toast your country's stage,
I saw your fine keen features changed. White age
Had touched and ripened you, and you were crowned
With sweetest, kindliest wisdom's wreath. I found
Warmer your welcome; more serene, more sage
My old-time comrade. And from Wordsworth's page
I drew greeting with a fateful sound.
"So we are stepping westward, you and I."
Lightly I said, nor thought your swiftening feet
So soon would reach the sunset land. Pass by!
Laden with love and admiration, greet
Your fellows there. May "stepping westward" be
To you, "a kind of heavenly destiny."

—Henry Arthur Jones.

WASTE IN AUSTRALIA

Exaggeration of our natural resources leads to a careless and wasteful exploitation of them. The first settlers gave early examples of this recklessness; they succeeded in ruining the sealing grounds off Tasmania in a few years of haphazard killing. The same sort of thing has gone on ever since. We made a great song about our boundless forest wealth—even the governments believed that we had 107,000,000 acres of forests, and looked on complacently while greedy, unintelligent exploiters laid them waste. Now we know that Australia has only 24,500,000 acres of possible forest land—that is, land which is more profitable for timber than for farming. Not until we realised that we had been wasting very limited resources did we begin to make reasonable plans for their conservation.—New Statesman.

LITERARY ICONOCLASTS

We have efficiency experts in industry; we have them in government. We have them in the trades, we have them in the professions. We have them in our schools, we have them in our churches. It was inevitable, sooner or later, that they should invade the fields of literature. It was equally inevitable, that, arriving there, they should, as Goths in the Imperial City of Rome, find small merit in the tapestries of art which for centuries have been treasures of the literary world.—W. N. Brigance, in The North American Review.

THE BANK

When I walk down Threadneedle Street
I hear the multitudinous feet
Of those who crawl and limp and caper
For the love of a handful of crumpled paper
And some of them find it, while most of them lose it,
But all of them die before learning to use it.

—Humbert Wolfe, in The Spectator (London).

Pride is at the bottom of all great mistakes.—John Ruskin.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

In the bad old days a sceptical and spiteful people used to stone the prophets, and sometimes kill them in an even more cruel manner. In later and not much better days a custom of stabbing or shooting political emancipators or liberators has been established. Prophets are not stoned nowadays. The people are too tender-hearted to do anything of that kind. But prophets today are very often scoffed at and jerred at, and occasionally despitefully used and persecuted.

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Consider the pathetic case of Mrs. Aimee Semple McPherson, one of the latter day prophets. The gentle but somewhat spirited lady, after establishing an ecclesiastical system which, if not strictly new and original in matters of doctrine, certainly is completely new and original in methods and manifestations, is being persecuted and driven from pillar to post by the secular authorities because she chose to exercise her rights as a free-born citizen, disappear for a time from public view and in a solitary place meditate upon the sins of a generation of human vipers.

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The evangelist, of course, did at one time maintain that she was kidnapped and forcibly carried away into a wilderness, a plea which the courts and the politicians have scornfully rejected. It is even said that the mother and former partner in business of the evangelist is on the side of the sceptics on the matter. But then women are peculiar, even more peculiar sometimes in their views and prejudices than courts and politicians. Anyhow, the persecuted lady has found out that it is a dangerous thing to try and mix politics with religion, and that it is an even more dangerous thing to attempt to "fix" politicians who have been elected to judicial positions.

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For some reason or other that is somewhat obscure to persons who are not familar with the system of administering justice "down below," Mrs. McPherson was summoned before a court in California and asked to explain why she was kidnapped or chose to retire into a wilderness for purposes of meditation. In their rancor against the lady, the zealous persecutors discovered a cheque for a handsome sum of money which they placed before the court as an "exhibit." The paper was a cherished possession of one of the officers of the court which sat upon the mysterious case of the evangelist. The victim of persecution and circumstances was asked to explain the purpose or the purport of that cheque. The explanation was short and simple. The cheque was a love gift to an individual who had given much good, but entirely worldly, advice to the officials of the Los Angeles Temple of the Four Square Gospel.

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That should have settled the matter, everybody should have been satisfied, and the institution which has undoubtedly been a great influence for good in the somewhat worldly, if not altogether pagan, city of Los Angeles, might surely have been left to complete the work which had been so auspiciously begun. But the sleuths of the law and the malicious politicians care for none of these things. The persecuted lady shook them off for a time and sought a haven of refuge in Europe. The sleuths picked up the trail again as soon as she came back. The victim was again haled before the courts and asked to explain something that was easily explained. Still the persecutors were not content. They had tasted blood, and they wanted more. The victim of circumstances in these latter days, like victims of circumstances in other days, has sought a haven of refuge in Canada. Mrs. McPherson is in Vancouver, where she is preaching the Four Square Gospel and telling the people of Canada what she thinks of the laws and the politicians of California. The evangelistic field in Vancouver may not be quite so fertile as that of Los Angeles, but still it may be profitably cultivated.

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Another distinguished victim of circumstances is M. Leon Trotzky the Russian emancipator. The new system Trotzky set up after ruthlessly uprooting an older, and possibly somewhat rotten system, has turned upon and cast out its founder. It would doubtlessly have stoned or beheaded or strangled its prophet if it had possessed the courage to do it. It does not appear to have done any of these things, but, if reports are to be believed, it is keeping Trotzky on the hop. No one appears to know definitely where he is; but the chances are that, wherever he is, some day he will "disappear without trace." Such is the way the modern world treats its emancipators and liberators. And the irony of the situation for poor Trotzky is that if he is still in the land of the living and scheming to supplant his supplanters, Russia is gradually reverting to the condition in which he found it when he returned from the United States to start his ruddy revolution.

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MORE FASCINATING THAN FABLE

IF THERE WERE A MAN IN THE MOON

If there were a man in the moon, as of course there isn't, he would have a very difficult time of it.

For the moon is colder than ice, except where the sun shines, and there it is hot enough to boil water in no time. It has neither life nor warmth nor air which it can call its own.

And because it has no air, the sun must seem a fierce blaze of fire to the fairy-tale man in the moon and the stars must not twinkle, and nights on the dark side of the moon must be bitterly cold with the thermometer registering more than 200 degrees below zero. For it is the air around the earth which protects us, who live on it, from the scorching fire of the sun, and makes the stars wink cheerfully at night.

To the man on the moon, if he lived, the earth would seem huge and white and very near. For it is near, really, as one measures distances between suns and stars. And the earth is big compared with the moon—four times as big through the centre—like a large grapefruit compared with a lemon.

A trip to the moon from the earth, if one could take a swift train running a mile a minute, would take not quite half a year. But if we wanted to travel to the sun it would take 160 years. The moon is much nearer.

Even from the earth, a half-year's traveling distance away, one can see without the aid of a telescope that the moon is very mountainous. It is the mountains that sometimes look almost like a face—their outlines are so clear and their shadows so deep.

We on earth have seen only one side of the moon, for as it moves around the earth it keeps the same side always towards us. Unlike the earth, it does not spin on its own axis.

Moonlight is really only pale sunlight which the moon reflects back to us as if it were a mirror. So sometimes, when it is night on the part of the earth upon which we live, the side of the moon which is always toward us is lighted by the sun and we can see the full face shining at us. But sometimes only a little edge is lighted by the sun, and then we see the slender crescent that looks as if it had just come from a jeweler's window and were fastened in the sky by prongs. At such times we know the sun is shining mostly on the back of the moon, for the side towards us shows only a narrow rim of gold.—By Colin G. Welles, Ph.D.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

CHAMBER MUSIC

Sir,—The recent visit of the Hart House String Quartette has aroused a considerable amount of comment and discussion, indicating the existence of a good deal of interest in chamber music—a type of music which has been woefully neglected in our city. It is, therefore, perhaps not out of place to take this opportunity of making a few observations concerning chamber music in general and offering one specific suggestion for Victoria.

It is a fact well recognised by musicians that many of the greatest composers—Haydn, Mozart, Beethoven, Schubert, Mendelssohn—wrote some of their finest music for string ensembles. One reason for this was that the pianoforte in their day had not reached a point of development where it could be utilised to express all the shades of emotion which crowded in upon the minds of these men. They therefore turned to other instruments and particularly to the large and varied family of strings. Thanks to this fact, they discovered and developed the beautifully balanced string trio, quartette and quintette.

It is a matter of profound regret to music lovers in Victoria that this beautiful department of music is largely a book sealed away from the public. On several occasions, groups of skilled musicians have started experiments in chamber music in the city, each time, for some reason—lack of organization or failure on the part of the public to give sufficient support—the venture has not come to a successful issue.

We have in our city a number of people who are sufficient masters of their instruments to be able to play most acceptably in string ensembles. All that is necessary, in my opinion, is to undertake some adequate organization which would insure these people the encouragement of an appreciative audience and the certainty of some measure of financial support. May I suggest that the time is ripe for such a venture, and ask that all those who would be interested in seeing formed in this city a chamber music society, and who would be willing to support the same, send their names, addresses, and any suggestions they may have to offer, to Willis' piano store? If there is a sufficient number of these replies to warrant any action, the next necessary step would be to call a meeting for organization.

I. DILWORTH.

Victoria High School, Victoria, B.C., February 5, 1929.

GLACIER HOUSE, B.C.

Sir,—May I have the favor of space for the following open letter to the President of the Canadian Pacific Railway from a lover of Canadian snow mountains, who is both a Dominion and a British Columbia taxpayer, and a shareholder in the above company?

Certain people are asking the Dominion Parks Department to spend more money on the trails in the Glacier National Park, British Columbia, but as there is no hotel or other place available for tourists to stay, the result is that the said park is closed to tourists.

Glacier House Hotel, first opened in 1887, was last closed on September 15, 1925. Since about April, 1926, there have not even been caretakers in charge. Captain E. N. Russell, the park superintendent, inspected the hotel building about the end of August, 1928, and found all the beautiful large windows broken and the whole building littered with rubbish.

Old-time mountain lovers have since 1925 been asking the hotel department of the C.P.R. how soon the long-promised new stone hotel will be opened. All they appear to get are elusive replies. The above mountain lovers come from all parts of the world besides Canada, especially London and New York. Whom do the C.P.R. wish should enjoy the wonderful beauties of the park, the wild animals or the lovers of mountains?

The land that Glacier House Hotel stands on is the property of the C.P.R., as it and the hotel at Field were the first two embryo hotels built by the company and the land was sold outright to it by the Dominion Government. All the other hotels in the mountains stand on land which is only leased to the company by the Dominion Government. Hence at Glacier the company has prevented tourists from staying in the park since the 1925 season, and has not allowed a private person or another company to put up a less pretentious hotel but one which could be made to yield a profit. In fact, the C.P.R. seems to have assumed a dog-in-the-manger stand over Glacier House.

It appears that since 1925 the C.P.R. has not wished any tourists to break their journey, even between trains, either going East or coming West, at Glacier, and up to the present the company has obtained this result.

The writer has known and loved Glacier National Park, British Columbia, ever since 1903, and he objects to being debarred from enjoying its quiet beauties in the Summer. Most of the C.P.R. hotel guests at Louise and Banff are now one-nighters, which are the most unprofitable kind. In the past a large proportion of the guests at Glacier, Louise and Banff stayed for at least one week, often for three or four. With its large army of ticket salesmen in North America, the company could reintroduce tourists to the practice of staying at least a week at one or more hotels in the mountains, and so return in part to the more pleasant and more profitable old practice.

In mountain hotels much expense can be saved in annual upkeep by studying how to protect the buildings from snow. At Glacier the snowfall is thirty-five feet on an average per year, so that the kind of material for roof covering is most important. Judging from similar conditions in Switzerland, tin or copper sheets are the best or the only effective roof to resist snow in the Selkirks, and the pitch should be steep enough to force the snow to slide off frequently instead of accumulating. Shingles are bad for the Selkirks as the snow freezes on them and accumulates enough to break in the roof. Houses that are lived in all the year round and so kept warm never have trouble with excess of snow on roofs.

F. V. LONGSTAFF
Major (Ret.), F.R.G.S.

50 Highland Drive, Victoria, B.C., February 5, 1929.

SCHOOL TAXES

Sir,—I have read in your paper the Hon. Joshua Hinchliffe's speech on taxing more for teachers' salaries in the E & N Nanaimo belt. I have been given to understand that the teachers' salaries are paid out of the legacy left by the late Hon. James Dunsmuir for that purpose. I would advise the honorable gentleman to find out about that legacy before he starts putting on more school taxes. I think when the school taxes are higher than the land, they are quite high enough.

ANNIE DONAHY.

Coombs, B.C., Feb. 2, 1929.

Jots From Literature

Mary had a little lamb,
Its fleece was white as snow.
And everywhere that Mary went,
Her lamb was sure to go.

This poem, dear to the heart of every child, was written by Sarah Hale, who was born in 1788. After her husband's death she turned to writing to make her living, and this is one of her first poems. She was an editor as well as an author, and she is remembered for her help in raising money to complete the famous Bunker Hill monument.

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LOWERING OF CAR LICENCE FEES DESIRED

Farmers' Institutes Seek Relief in Respect of Gasoline-Driven Machinery on Farms

HIGH GAS TAX SUGGESTED

A request was made of the agricultural committee of the Legislature yesterday afternoon to have the motor licence fee reduced as a minimum amount to $5 in order to take care of the situation that fared the farmers in operating cheap machines and found they had to pay nearly as much for the licence as for the machine

Immediately the matter was raised by Mr. C. E. Whitney-Griffiths there was disapproval expressed on the part of the committee. It was felt that perhaps a reduction might be allowed, but not so sweeping a one as proposed

Mr W F. Kennedy, of North Okanagan, said that it was not rational to ask for more and better roads, and for reduction in the income from the automobile. From his district the desire was to have better roads, and if necessary in order to meet the cost, an increase should be put on the rate of the gas tax It was desired if possible to make the licence easier, he admitted, but the money had to be made up some way. Mr. J. W Berry, the chairman, said he felt that this request was going too far

Inspector Hood, who is in charge of the motor licence work of the Provincial Police was present at the meeting

He pointed out that while it was represented that in California the licence fee was only $3, it was not mentioned that the counties there collected a personal property tax, and this would be in many instances as high as 3.3 per cent, which on a $1,000 automobile represented $33 The average licence paid here last year was $19.13.

He gave the amount raised last year from the gas tax as "$939,902 on a 3-cent-a-gallon rate. There was $1,598,000 raised by licences from automobiles, of which one-third want to the municipalities."

Dr Wrinch pointed out that if the gas tax were raised to 4 cents there would be about $300,000 more raised. Thereupon Mr. Whitney-Griffiths amended the request from the farmers' institutes to ask that substantial reductions be made in the licence fees for automobiles, and if it were necessary to raise further revenue in view of this, that the gas tax should be increased.

The matter was discussed at some length, and the committee will probably report in favor of lower car licences and higher gas tax.

PIONEER OF SIXTIES PASSES AT RIPE AGE

Mrs. A. C Williams Dies After Residence of Nearly Sixty-Three Years in This District

The death occurred yesterday of Mrs. Caroline Williams, wife of Mr Alfred Charles Williams, of 1820 Lillian Road, at the age of seventy-four years She was born in London, England, and was brought to Canada as a child, the family settling in turn in London and Ottawa. Leaving Ontario they went to Jamaica. Later it was decided to take up residence in British Columbia and the journey was made by way of the Isthmus of Panama, Aspinwall and San Francisco. From the Golden Gate the last section was completed in the ship Active, the family arriving here in 1866

The adopted daughter of Richard and Mary Baker, she took up residence in the Baker homestead on Lansdowne Road, near the site of the present aerodrome

On December 31, 1882, she married Mr Williams, and the family consists of the husband, two daughters, Mrs. W Reid and Mrs F A. Morgan, here, one son, Mr A. R Williams, of Vancouver; six grandchildren, and one niece, Mrs H. Sulston, of Victoria; one sister, Mrs. L. Gannon, of Chicago, and one brother, Mr B. Andrews, of Ottawa

The remains are at Hayward's B C Funeral Chapel, from which place the funeral will be held on Friday at 2 o'clock, Rev. A deB. Owen officiating Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

'DADS AND LADS' DINE TOGETHER

The great opportunities which Canada offered boys was one of the leading points in the address given by Lieutenant-Colonel Nelson Spencer, M.P.P., at the Fairfield United Church Father and Son banquet last evening The banquet took place in the church Sunday school, with an attendance of over 160 lads and their dads Other guest speakers who were given a hearty reception were Mr. Frank Fidler secretary of the provincial boys' work board of the United Church, and Mrs Nelson Spencer, who was called upon during the evening to respond to a special word of welcome extended to her

Dr W M. Thomas, president of the club, was in the chair The programme opened with the toast to the King proposed by the chairman, and "The Dads," proposed by Mr Bob Warren, responded to by Mr. H. Cross, followed A brief address was given by Mr Fred Ramsay The pastor, Rev Hugh Nixon, welcomed the fathers and sons. The purely entertainment feature of the evening was Mr Hollins' recitation, a parody of "Lord Ullin's Daughter" Mr Vivien Shoemaker led the community singing, with Major Watts at the piano.

The catering was done by the Fairfield Men's Club and the C.G.I.T girls who assisted were accorded a vote of thanks by Mr A. C Charlton Mr James Hopkins thanking the speakers

Two British Subjects Victims of Outlaws

MEXICO, Feb. 6—Two British subjects were named as victims of outlaw activities in widely separated localities in Mexico today

Dispatches from Chihuahua City, Chihuahua, said that George White, British painter, had been slain in his workshop, presumably by robbers. There were no arrests.

The British consul at Guadalajara, State of Jalisco, notified the British legation here that Federal troops had captured a number of insurgents of the same group which kidnapped S. H. James, a British mine official The Federal soldiers are holding their captives as hostages to secure release of James, who is being retained for $5,000 ransom

New Parliament in Australia Assembles

CANBERRA, Australia, Feb 6—Lord Stonehaven, Governor-General of Australia, today formally opened the eleventh Parliament of the Commonwealth. Mr Stanley Bruce, Prime Minister, is supported by a coalition majority of eleven Opposed to the forty-three Government supporters are thirty-two Labor members.

Who's Who in Making Laws Across James Bay

The second member for the city of Vancouver made his maiden speech in the Legislature on the Address in Reply. Deliberate in his style, Colonel Spencer makes his points well and is ready in meeting interruptions.

He is a native of the Province of New Brunswick, having been born in York County in the year 1876 He is largely a self-made man, and since 1901 has been living in Western Canada. He took up his residence in the Province of Alberta in that year, and continued to reside there until six years ago when he came to the Pacific Coast, making his home in Vancouver.

In this province he has been following the timber business, with headquarters in the Terminal City. His acceptance of the nomination in the Conservative interests in the city of Vancouver in the last election was followed by his election second only to Hon W. C. Shelly, Minister of Finance His victory was a tribute of the popularity to which Colonel Spencer had attained during his short residence in that city.

The advent to the local Legislature is not his first participation in politics. He served in the Legislature of Alberta, sitting for the riding of Medicine Hat

During the time he was a member he served three years at the front in the Great War. His case was the first occasion upon which a commission had been presented to a civilian to raise a regiment for service. This was accomplished, and he took the 175th Battalion overseas. It was broken up, and eventually Colonel Spencer was given command of the 31st Battalion at the front.

COLONEL NELSON SPENCER

He was awarded the D.S.O. for distinguished service at Iwuy

Colonel Spencer is a member of the Board of Directors of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway, and on the trip of Premier Tolmie to the East he accompanied the leader of the Government at the request of his leader, and assisted in the negotiations in progress with the large railway companies of Canada looking to effecting a deal for the provincially-owned railway

He is proving a valuable member to committee, as well as in the House itself.

Obituary

MACLEW—Funeral services for Elizabeth Kathleen Maclew (nee Brinkman), who died on Tuesday morning at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, will be held on Friday at 3 o'clock, from the Thomson Funeral Home. Rev. A. de B. Owen will officiate and interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

EASTON—The remains of Walter Easton, who died on Monday, are at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, from which place the funeral will be held on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev H. P. S. Luttrell will officiate Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

HOLMES—The remains of Richard Holmes were laid to rest in Royal Oak Burial Park yesterday afternoon, the funeral taking place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, Rev. A. de B Owen officiating The hymn sung was "Lead Kindly Light" Many friends were present. The following acted as pallbearers Messrs. William Head, John McHardy, Beaumont Boggs, H Henderson, Jeoffrey Vantreight and E T Farquhar

BACHLOR—There passed away in this city yesterday Mr. L. Bachlor, aged fifty-three. The remains are at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel Funeral arrangements will be announced later

MOLYNEAUX—The funeral of Mrs Margaret Anna Molyneaux, who died on Tuesday at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Violet Morrison, of 1773 Denman Street, will take place this afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Rev. H. P S Luttrell will officiate and the remains will be laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

MR. MAITLAND TO BE HEARD TODAY

Minister Without Portfolio Expected to Enter Debate on Address in Reply

Hon R L Maitland, minister without portfolio, will probably be the first member of the House to contribute to the debate on the Address in Reply at this afternoon's session. Mr. Maitland adjourned the debate yesterday afternoon.

The private bills committee will meet on Tuesday to consider a bill to ratify an agreement between Mr J. S. H. Matson and the Saanich municipality in connection with a bus franchise in that municipality Other bills to be considered are a bill respecting the Canadian North-Eastern Railway Company and a bill concerning the Municipality of Delta

The committee on public accounts will convene at 10 o'clock this morning, while the municipal committee will not meet again until 10 a.m. Tuesday. Last-minute resolutions from municipal councils will be considered at this meeting of the municipal committee, following which the committee will go on to deal with each recommendation placed before it by the Union of B C Municipalities and reach a decision in each case

Hon. Joshua Hinchliffe filed a reply to Mr Ian Mackenzie's question with regard to the employment of Mr. Montague Harbard, in the House yesterday The minister replied that Mr Harbard was not employed by the Government

FUNERAL OF PIONEER

Mrs. Sarah Jane Logan, of Clo-oose, Was Resident on West Coast for Thirty-Six Years

The funeral of Sarah Jane Logan, wife of David Logan, of Clo-oose, was held from the Sands Funeral Parlors yesterday afternoon, at 2 o'clock Mrs. Logan who had been a resident of Clo-oose for thirty-six years leaves, besides her husband, two daughters, Mrs. A Chisholm, of 2708 Belmont Avenue and Mrs D. Halliday, of Clo-oose, and two sons, William and Ernest, of Clo-oose and eight grandchildren

The services, both at the parlors and at the graveside, were conducted by Rev Thomas Keyworth, of the James Bay United Church, and the following acted as pallbearers Messrs. J O Brown, J D MacDonald, J Rice J Halliday, H F Bishop and O Attwood The floral emblems were many and beautiful Interment took place in the family plot at Royal Oak Burial Park

HOUSE IS MERE PLAYGROUND OF PARTY POLITICS

Mr. G. S. Pearson Urges Government to Serve the People—Attacks Patronage System

ROAD TO TOFINO IS RECOMMENDED

Declaring that the Legislature had long been termed nothing but a political playground, Mr. George S Pearson, member for Nanaimo, in his debate on the Address in Reply yesterday said: "It is time the Government gave some evidence that it was anxious to serve the people."

The speaker took exception to the remarks of Colonel Nelson Spencer, made earlier in the afternoon, with reference to the former Liberal Government, in which he said, "Call it a government if you like."

Mr. Pearson reminded the second member for Vancouver that the people of the province had signified their confidence in the former Liberal Government for twelve years

Colonel Spencer had said that capital had been scared away from the province. Mr Pearson suggested that this was because of the social legislation given the masses and probably the capitalist felt that such legislation was too good for the common people "It is to be hoped that the present Government will give us the same kind of social legislation as the former Government saw fit to benefit the people by."

MAKES PLEA FOR ROAD

Dealing with the road question Mr. Pearson said he must support the recommendation made by the member for Comox-Alberni, that of building roads to connect with existing highways running through developed portions of the province before new highways were contemplated In this regard he urged the construction of a road to Tofino, to connect with the Island Highway.

Referring to the Government's recommendations in connection with tax reductions, Mr Pearson said:

"It is unfortunate that the first tax reduction proposed by the Government should be for those who can well afford to pay taxes. I hope that the Government will not continue long with this policy."

DISCUSSES PATRONAGE

Mr. Pearson went on to say that the Premier in his debate on the Address in Reply had given the House to understand that there would be no patronage He declared that this had been the battle cry of the Conservative party during the election The people placed a great deal of confidence in Premier Tolmie and he hoped that the Premier would not break faith with the people in future, for he had not yet been convinced that the Government had lived up to its promise of no patronage

"One of the damning influences on the politics of this province is the patronage system Yet civil servants of Liberal tendency are being discharged and known Conservatives being placed in their stead Is that a no-patronage policy? I say there is no justice in the procedure.

"If we are to be free from the domination of politics in the employing of our civil servants then the civil service must be taken away from political parties. If the parties object to their voting then let the civil servants be disfranchised But for goodness sake let us abolish party patronage," he declared

Mr Pearson ended his debate by expressing the hope that the Government would improve the present social laws, such as workmen's compensation and mothers' pensions.

VANCOUVER Feb 6—G. F Mc-Crossan, K.C., corporation counsel advised the city finance committee this afternoon that the city is neither legally liable, nor legally competent to assume the burden of payment of T W Fletcher's legal expenses in connection with the police inquiry

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MR. A. S. BURGESS CALLED BY DEATH

Man Prominent in Sport and Military Circles Succumbed at Jubilee Hospital on Tuesday

The death took place on Tuesday night at the Jubilee Hospital, after a short illness, of Mr Arthur Stanley (Ted) Burgess, of 27 Moss Street, salesman in the employ of Pemberton & Son.

Mr Burgess was well-known in local sport and military circles He was born in Chicago on January 7, 1882, came out to the Coast with his parents, the late Mr and Mrs W. L. Burgess, the following year, and received his public and high school education in this city

In his early twenties he joined the 5th Regiment, R.C.A and took a great interest in rifle shooting. When the Great War broke out he went overseas as a lieutenant in the Canadian Forestry Corps On returning from the front he took up his residence at Colwood for six years and was active in the Rural Nursing Service and also in the Metchosin Farmers' Institute. On moving to the city he was made manager of the life insurance department of Pemberton & Son, and held that position up to the time of his death

Mr. Burgess was prominent in Conservative affairs and was a member of the Victoria Conservative Association. At one time he was elected president of the Oak Bay Conservative Association and also a director of the Vancouver Island Horticultural Association As a member of the Vancouver and Quadra Lodge No. 2, A.F. & A.M., he was highly thought of.

In the year 1909 he married Louise Malcolm, the daughter of Mrs Malcolm and the late Mr David Malcolm, of Vancouver

He is survived by his widow living in the city, and two sisters, Mrs Herbert Cuthbert, of Portland, and Mrs. J. E. Gardner, of San Francisco.

Notice will be given later as to the funeral arrangements

ROYALTY ATTENDS LONDON MARRIAGE

LONDON, Feb. 6—The Duke and Duchess of York today attended the wedding of the younger brother of the Duchess, Hon David Bowes-Lyon, to Rachel, daughter of Lieutenant-Colonel Herbert H. Spencer-Clay, M.P., which took place in St. Margaret's.

The bridesmaids included three nieces of the Duchess of York, Hon. Elizabeth Elphinstone, Miss Cecilia Leveson-Gower and Miss Cecilia Bowes-Lyons

Lord Davidson, retired Archbishop of Canterbury, performed the ceremony

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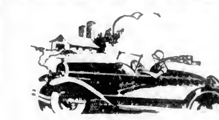

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VICTORIA UNIT OF AUTO CLUB REVIEWS YEAR

Action Taken to Eradicate Evil of Glaring Headlights Stressed — Efforts Will Continue

MORE MEMBERS ARE REQUIRED

Interesting statistics of the activities carried on during 1928 by the Victoria branch of the Automobile Club of British Columbia were contained in the report of the chairman, Mr. H Despard Twigg, read at the annual meeting of the organization last night. As an indication of the usefulness of the office the following figures are convincing.

Altogether 11,708 personal and telephone calls were attended to; 8,600 maps were distributed, 329 customs forms were supplied to members leaving for the United States; 4,898 pieces of mail were received and dispatched; and the employees of the association have been constantly furnishing information on local road conditions. The number of members taking advantage of the towing and emergency road services were 201, and fifty-six members were given advice and assistance in matters involving damages, many of these cases requiring considerable investigation and several interviews. An official was kept at the Sidney ferry wharf during the year, assisting more than 2,400 motorists; 239 drivers' licences were issued through the club.

"It is gratifying to note the small number of our members who become involved in police court actions due to infraction of the traffic regulations. Only three cases were defended this year, in one of these cases a dismissal being obtained, and in the others only light fines imposed," the chairman reported.

NEW OFFICES

The move to new offices in the Broughton Street depot was recorded, and thanks expressed to Mr Matson.

The chairman commented on the unsatisfactory results of the experiment made in certain states with compulsory liability insurance, the subject debated at the last annual meeting of the club here. At the same time, it was noted, "It is very desirable that some form of protection against personal injury and damage to property should exist, and it will be the business of the club to study the matter fully."

During the year on several occasions the traffic regulations had come under review and necessary recommendations for enforcement were forwarded to the proper quarters. One of the most outstanding of these recommendations had been in connection with "the glaring headlight menace." Light testing charts of an approved design had been supplied to the provincial, city and municipal police departments as well as to the official garages of the Automobile Club in the city. The present situation left much to be desired, and the club would continue to work toward a solution of the problem.

ARTERIAL HIGHWAYS

The club's activities and interest reviewed, and gratification was expressed in the arterial highway system was pressed with the results of this. Roads had been kept under constant observation, the attention of the B.C. Electric Railway had been called to bad conditions existing along tracks and at switches, with beneficial results; and the city authorities were supporting the club in its attitude on the question of the level crossing on Johnson Street west of the Johnson Street bridge. Constant contact had been maintained with the Provincial Public Works Department in connection with the widening of portions of the Malahat Drive, with advantage. Directors had taken up the matter of furnishing of surety bonds for members wishing to stay in the United States for more than the three months allowed on the tourist's permit, with the result that members might now obtain a card from the secretary which was accepted as surety guarantee in lieu of collateral. The Government, acting on recommendation of the club for the establishment of a shorter route to Mill Bay, had decided on the removal of the Mill Bay wharf to a location nearer the Brentwood wharf, which would lessen the distance by twenty minutes.

City & District

On Visit Here—Mr A. E. Meighen, of Kamloops, is in the city. He was a visitor in the buildings yesterday, and had a seat on the floor of the Legislature during the afternoon proceedings.

Estimates Incomplete—A sitting of the City School Board in estimates committee was held last evening, but no definite action was taken. The board has until February 15 to complete its estimates for submission to the City Council.

Surveyors' Bill—An amendment designed to permit land surveyors to sit for examination as coal mine surveyors is contained in an amending bill to the Coal Mines Regulation Act, introduced to the Legislature by Hon. W. A. McKenzie, Minister of Mines.

Making Progress—Thornley Jones, 840 Caledonia Avenue, who sustained a fractured femur when he was run over by an automobile early Sunday morning, on Douglas Street, is making progress and some hope is held out for his recovery, according to a statement made last night by Dr. E. L. McNiven, attending physician. Jones is at St. Joseph's Hospital.

Are Theatre Guests — Captain Plunkett, through the sick committee of the Pro Patria Branch of the Canadian Legion, invited fifteen returned men to yesterday's matinee at the Royal Victoria Theatre. All the men are patients in the Fleming and T.B. Wards of the Royal Jubilee Hospital. Mrs. Fleming sent a car to convey some of the boys to the theatre.

Fraser Avenue Bridge—Alderman R. Wilson and W. L. Woodford, of the Vancouver comptroller's department, with Reeve Tomsett and Councillors Foster and Hayward, of Richmond, waited on the Minister of Public Works this morning to press upon the Government the necessity for an early start upon the construction of the Fraser Avenue bridge. They pointed out that the present structure is in extremely bad shape and its upkeep is costly.

Prairie Visitors—This year there has been a late influx of Prairie visitors, owing to the recent cold snap in the Prairie Provinces. Already a record of Winter visitors to Victoria has been set, and a certain amount of difficulty is being experienced by the Publicity Bureau in securing suitable places of residence for these late arrivals, particularly as regards all modern, furnished flats, at monthly rentals of $50 and up.

To Rebuild Block—The remodeling of the three-story brick building at 749 Pandora Avenue, at a cost of several thousand dollars, will be undertaken, and plans calling for extensive alterations are being prepared by Bishop & Shanks, of 922 Government Street. The initial permit for a tar and gravel roof to cost $800 has been issued at the City Hall, and Mr C. E. Bail will do the preliminary roofing work. The building was gutted by fire some years ago.

Chief Issues Warning—Minor losses which have been sustained in certain parts of the city caused Chief of Police John Fry to issue a warning to householders in Victoria to protect themselves against prowlers. In a number of cases of reported theft, entry to the houses had been secured by pass keys or keys left under mats, the chief stated. He urged all householders to secure catches on windows, and not deposit keys under the mat when leaving the house empty.

Revision of House Rules Is Proposed

Hon R. H. Pooley, Attorney-General filed with the House yesterday afternoon a draft copy of the proposed revision of the rules of the House, which was asked for as far back as 1924. At that time, Mr Pooley explained, it was felt advisable to leave the matter over until after the Dominion Government had revised its rules. Now that this was done it was felt advisable to proceed with the revision of the rules of the local House.

Hon J. W. Jones, Speaker of the House, Mr H. D. Twigg, deputy speaker, Mr A. M. Manson, and the Clerk of the House, were appointed as a select committee to consider the draft and submit a report to the House during the present session.

Mr Manson expressed the opinion that it would have been a matter of courtesy to provide each member with a copy of the draft, while Mr T. D. Pattullo, leader of the Opposition, said that he at least might have been consulted by the Attorney-General as to whom the Opposition felt best qualified to sit on the select committee.

Mr Thomas Uphill objected that he was left entirely out of consideration. He was the leader of a great party, the Labor Party, and felt entitled to some recognition on the floor of the House. Too frequently did the Government members speak of the Leader of the Opposition instead of the leaders of the opposition. He wished it to be known that he was the official leader of His Majesty's loyal opposition in so far as the Labor Party was concerned.

BAD WEATHER INCREASES CALL ON ASSOCIATION

Friendly Help Association Finds Heavy Demand for Coal Supplies During Present Cold Weather

SECRETARY IS CONVALESCING

Mrs A. O. Price, vice-president, presided at a well attended meeting of the Friendly Help Association held in the Market Building yesterday.

Miss Lawson, secretary-treasurer, is convalescing favorably, and it is hoped she will soon be able to resume her duties.

The name of Mrs Stacpoole was proposed for membership on the board, and welcomed as a member.

Representatives of the City Council appointed to the board for 1929 are Aldermen Woodward and Adam.

Delegates to the Local Council of Women annual meeting are Mrs. McManus, Mrs. Davidson, Mrs Radbourne, Mrs. Hurst and Mrs Price.

Owing to severe weather many calls for assistance came to notice. Thanks are accorded to Dr Davies in broadcasting an appeal to the public for coal, etc., and several responded with donations of cash and coal. Lieutenant-Governor Bruce also generously donated coal.

An anonymous donation of $25 for the coal fund was sent in.

One hundred and fifty-one cases, representing 556 persons, were assisted in January. Ninety had groceries, forty-nine had fuel, thirty-five had milk daily, forty-seven had meat more than once; also sixty-seven got clothing, fifty-one got provisions from rooms as jam, rolled oats, apples, vegetables, tea, dripping, etc., twelve got sundries as toys, bed, spring and mattress, bedding, heaters, etc. and twenty-four got coal donations.

Warm clothing, stockings and shoes for children and adults are very much needed, and there is an urgent call for a spring and mattress.

The Friendly Help Association acknowledges with grateful thanks the following donations received during January, 1929.

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Provisions—Mrs J. Forks (jam), Mrs. Allen (dripping), Mrs. W. S. Terry (dripping), Mrs. B. Greer (dripping).

Sundries—Smith's Repair Shop (baby buggy), Mr Bohlander (heater), Anonymous (one ton coal), Mrs. Turner (bed, spring and mattress), Collinson & Mills (twine and paper), Lieutenant-Governor Bruce (six tons coal), Mrs. Bremner (wringer), J. D. Hall, Uplands, (two tons coal), Mrs. Roskelly (baby cot), Madame Sanderson (bed, spring and mattress), A. C. Sylvester (magazines), Mrs Crockett (heater).

Serious Charges Are Made Against Leading Official

MELBOURNE, Feb 8 (C.P. Cable via Reuter's).—Inquiry opened today into allegations of attempted bribery against M. L. Shepherd, former secretary and permanent head of the Department of Defence. Shepherd, who had been dealing with questions of civil aviation, was suspended from duty in December on the order of the Minister of Defence, following charges made by Captain Larkin, managing director of Australian air services.

It is alleged that at a dinner given Bert Hinkler, British airman, following the latter's flight from England to Australia last year, Captain Larkin stated he was reluctantly forced to believe it was necessary to resort to bribery in order to get a fair hearing at the Department of Defence, and that Shepherd replied "Why don't you pay? You won't get on otherwise."

A further charge is that at a private dinner in Sydney, Shepherd told Larkin, "I know how to handle members of the cabinet. I arrange documents in two piles, one of which they sign without reading and the other I advise them to read. It now rests with you as to which pile I shall put your stuff in."

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Women's Clubs and Societies

M. R. Robertson Chapter

The annual meeting of the Margaret Rocke Robertson Chapter, I.O.D.E., was held on Monday evening in the I.O.D.E. headquarters, Union Building. The reports of the various officers showed that while this chapter has only been reorganized for a few months it has been very active in the work of the order. The special work of the chapter is educational, and to this end there has been established a trust fund, to be called the Margaret Rocke Robertson Memorial Bursary. A library has been purchased and will shortly be presented to the Margaret Jenkins School. A sincere vote of thanks was tendered to the retiring officers and to The Times and The Colonist for courtesies received. The officers for the coming year are: Honorary regent, Mrs. J. H. Todd; regent, Mrs. L. A. Oenge; first vice-regent, Mrs. Hermann Robertson; second vice-regent, Mrs. Hextall; educational secretary, Miss K. Wilson; Echoes secretary, Mrs. T. S. Boldero; secretary, Mrs. Rotherham; treasurer, Miss Orsce Raper; standard bearer, Miss Jill Lloyd-Young.

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W.B.A. Juniors

Juniors of Queen Victoria Rose Court W.B.A. held their annual election of officers on Tuesday afternoon under the supervision of Mrs. Lora Baker, supreme regional director, who is paying an official visit to Victoria from Vancouver. Former queen, Margaret Taylor, was appointed queen's adviser to assist the junior supervisor, Miss Clough. Miss Marjorie Morris was chosen queen for the ensuing year, others elected being Chamberlain, Florence Malcolm; mistress of robes, Lorna Turpel; herald, Christine Schmelz; scribe, Kathleen Creighton; purse bearer, Kathleen Bowden; keeper of the door, Beverley Ecker; guardian of the gate, June McAllister; captain, Annie Fisher; lieutenant, Olive Edmonds; inquisitors, Mary Wetherall, Babs Ward and Doreen Waller; gardeners, Marjorie Bowden, Sheila McAllister, Muriel Creighton; maids of honor, Gladys Moraes and Jessie Wetherall; musician, Evelyn Dawson. Guards will be chosen at the next regular meeting. Coronation of the queen will take place in the near future.

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Aged Women's Home

Eight members of the committee of management were present at the monthly meeting of the Aged and Infirm Women's Home Committee, held at the home on Tuesday, Mrs. W. L. Clay presiding. After routine business was transacted reports were received from the visiting committee, which showed that two deaths had taken place at the home and also that two inmates had been admitted during the past month. The installing of the oil burner for the kitchen range had been postponed on account of inclement weather. The institution was also reported to be very free from sickness at the present time. The visiting committee for February is Mrs. William Grant, Mrs. Gould and Miss O'Brien. Donations received during January were the following: Mr. Knowles, quarter of steer beef; Mrs. Shields, cakes; Mrs. Hubbard, Mrs. Youngs, Mrs. Edwards, clothing; Mrs. Reid, old linen; friends, magazines.

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Daughters of St. George, Nanaimo

On Tuesday evening the Daughters of St. George held their regular meeting in the Foresters' Hall, presided over by Sister K. Dixon. A very impressive ceremony took place. Sister Wilson presented the following: Past president's certificate to Sister E. Perris, and to Sister E. Bain the president's pin, for her term of office as president. Sister Bamford also received a president's pin for her term of three years. Recording Secretary Sister A. Willis was also presented with a membership pin for her three-year term as social convener. A large number of loyal regular attendants were also presented with attendance prizes.

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Hollywood Ladies' Aid

The February meeting of the Hollywood Sunday School Ladies' Aid will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. A. S. Denny, 1836 Crescent Road, Foul Bay. A good attendance of members is requested.

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Private Duty Nurses

The Private Duty Nurses' meeting which was to have been held tonight, has been postponed until the first Thursday in March.

SYNOD MEETING IS OPENED HERE

Election of Executive Committee Takes Place—Financial Conditions Reviewed

Every parish and district of the Island was represented at the opening session of the twenty-ninth meeting of the Synod of the Diocese of Columbia when it convened yesterday morning at St. John's Church, and the day's proceedings were participated in by an almost one hundred per cent attendance of clerical and lay delegates.

The seventieth anniversary meeting, held last night in Memorial Hall, concluded the first day's programme, the outstanding feature in which was the Bishop's charge, the report on which will be brought in by the committee at this morning's session. Ven. the Archdeacon of Columbia is chairman of this committee, other members of of which are Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick, Ven. H. A. Collison, Rev. E. O. Robathan, R.D., Dr. J. S. Plaskett, Captain H. M. T. Hodgson and Mr. J. E. Newman.

EXECUTIVE ELECTED

Election of the executive committee took place yesterday afternoon, resulting as follows.

Clerical members, Ven. H. A. Collison, Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick, Rev. T. M. Hughes, Rev. A. E. deL. Nunns, Rev. S. Ryall, Rev. N. E. Smith, Rev. F. C. Chapman and Rev. J. W. Flinton; lay members, Colonel J. A. Hall, Mr. J. H. Hinton, Mr. A. J. Dallain, Mr. H. O. Pierce, Captain Cory Wood, Mr. A. R. Merrix, Dr. A. G. Price and Colonel W. Ridgeway Wilson.

Sir Richard Lake, K.C.M.G., was re-elected honorary treasurer; Rev. H. V. Hitchcox, clerical secretary, and Mr. F. W. Blankenbach lay secretary. Mr. Blankenbach is now filling his twentieth year in office.

In the course of his annual report, the secretary, Mr. Blankenbach, reviewed the financial conditions throughout the diocese. A resolution which he moved authorizing an honorarium in addition to the clergy stipends, was approved by the synod.

TODAY'S SESSION

At this morning's session the general board of religious education will report, the Dean of Columbia being chairman of this.

Sir Richard Lake, K.C.M.O., as diocesan treasurer, presented the financial statement, which was adopted and passed after discussion, as was also the report of the executive committee.

The afternoon session opened with further financial discussion, after which the Archdeacon of Columbia submitted a report dealing with inter alia the condition of certain church buildings, the deepening of the spiritual life of the diocese, and other matters of importance, all of which gave rise to animated discussion followed by recommendations as to action to be taken.

The day's proceedings closed after reports had been received on the work of the A.Y.P.A. and the ministry of the church among sailors.

A letter was read from the former Archbishop of Canterbury, Dr. Randall Davidson, in which he replied to an invitation that had been extended to Mrs. Davidson and himself to visit Victoria on the occasion of the consecration of the completed portion of the new cathedral. In expressing regret at being compelled by reason of the long journey involved to give a reluctant refusal, the veteran church leader commended the diocese for the large view taken in view of the coming importance of the Pacific Coast of British Columbia as a world centre.

Regret was also expressed that the translation of Dr. Gordon Cosmo Lang from the see of York to that of Canterbury would prevent his journey to the West for the consecration proceedings. However, it was hoped that at least one English bishop would be present in addition to the entire House of Canadian bishops and a number of the American Episcopal Church.

The synod sessions began at 10.15 a.m. yesterday at St. John's, following a celebration of holy communion an hour earlier at Christ Church Cathedral. Luncheon was served at the Y.M.C.A. There will be a celebration of holy communion in St. John's Church at 8 o'clock this morning, and matins at St. John's at 9.30, preceding the fourth meeting of the synod at 10 o'clock. Luncheon will be at the Y.M.C.A. again.

Cathedral Exhibition Is Rich In Historical Interest

Wealth of Ecclesiastical Art Discovered in Numerous Collections Housed at Memorial Hall, to Be Formally Opened Today

A wealth of ecclesiastical art and other objects of ecumenical interest has been assembled for the seventieth anniversary exhibition and bazaar of Christ Church Cathedral, to be formally opened this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, and to remain open until the end of the week.

The exhibition embraces beautiful and interesting things from all the countries of the world to which the Anglican church has carried its missionary activities: India, China, Japan, Persia, South America and Africa. Coming nearer home there is much connected with the B. C. Coast Indian, the whole of the Memorial Hall entrance hall being filled with an exhibition of Alert Bay Indian work, work by the children in the Indian residential schools, or historic treasures which tell something about the life of the earlier aborigines before the Christian missionaries reached this part of the world.

Of still more immediate interest, however, is the display connected with the New Christ Church Cathedral. Most of this is collected in one room, in charge of the Archdeacon of Columbia, Ven. E. P. Laycock. It includes drawings for stained-glass windows which are to be placed in the new cathedral; some of the rich embroideries which have been presented by friends here or in the Old Land; numerous designs for wallpapers, altar cloths, banners, processional crosses, etc. The collection is of most unusual character, and certainly no visitor to the exhibition should fail to set aside sufficient time to examine the various articles.

Most beautiful and striking of all the exhibits in this room is the altar frontal by Watts, a rich design worked out in embossed velvet in two shades of blue, with a conventional leaf design in the centre of each of the panels outlined in gold thread.

TAPESTRIES AND LACE

In the same collection are some examples of Memling tapestries, several yards of antique Greek lace which has been presented to the new Cathedral, although the exact use to which it will be put has not yet been decided; numerous examples of embossed wallpapers suitable for use in churches, and some choice needlework submitted by the local embroidery guild under the direction of Miss Edith Ravenhill.

In delicacy of craftsmanship, in chasteness of design, none of the exhibits merit more careful examination than some of the last-mentioned work or that by Mrs. Pirrie. In the embroidery guild's work is an exquisite burse and veil from Shawnigan Lake Boys' School chapel, loaned for the occasion by Mr. C. W. Lonsdale. Mrs. Pirrie's work is a beautiful banner of St. George, the stitchery of which is so fine that it closely resembles a painting. The coloring is very rich. Mrs. Pirrie worked this during her long visit in England, from which she has just returned. There are two other beautifully worked banners, one by Mrs. Rodd, and one by Miss Ravenhill, made for the local Toc H. Any of these pieces will win instant admiration from connoisseurs of needlework.

In the same room will be seen the antique silver chalice presented anonymously to the new cathedral and brough to Victoria by Archdeacon Laycock when he returned here recently from England. This is considered one of the finer treasures now in the possession of the church here. Made in Antwerp in 1860, it is an exquisite example of the silversmith's art, thirteen inches high, with a design of ecclesiastical origin wrought about the base and centre of the cup.

WINDOW DESIGNS

Some arresting drawings by Miss Joan E. Fulleylove of designs for stained glass windows indicate another field in which women artists are achieving success. Beside this stand some of Percy Bacon's still better-know work. It was Percy Bacon's design, it will be recalled, which was chosen for the rose window which is to fill the West end of the new cathedral. Another drawing nearby illustrates the railing which is being presented by the Dean and Chapter of Westminster Abbey for use in the new building here, and a photograph beside it shows the exact spot in Westminster Abbey from which this is being taken.

It is firmly impressed on the visitor that the exhibition and bazaar are, in the main, the work of the young people of the cathedral. The bazaar, particularly, represents their handiwork, under the chairmanship of Mr. R. E. Wootton. And although many of the moving spirits have not been much in evidence (and will not be) during the daytime, owing to their business occupations, they are very active during the evening hours.

The gymnasium is their special centre. Here the bazaar is housed, at one end under a colorful canopy of pale green and pink (which represents Spring) of gold, which represents Summer, of flaming oranges and reds, which represent Autumn and of blue and white, which represent Winter.

In the Spring section is the refreshment room, in the Summer section will be found the ice cream and home cooking stalls and the superfluities tables, under the Autumn section are fancy work and toys and novelties, and under the chillier roof of Winter are the special parish stalls belonging to St. Mark's, St. Matthias', and St. Mary's churches.

In the centre of the hall has been erected a garden stall under an orange tree with apples and oranges and vegetables mingling under the primitive Western settler's boundary lines.

REFRESHMENTS

In the refreshment room teas and light suppers will be served every day during the exhibition.

Up in the balcony of the gymnasium is an Aladdin's Cave, with an Oriental princess in the innermost cell, reclining among her cushions, and attended by beautiful slaves. Fragrant incense greets the visitor at the entrance. It is almost an anachronism that immediately through the partition one finds an up-to-date logging camp in full operation, in charge of the Robbin boys, of Chemainus. Train, power house, donkey engine, pump, pulleys, grapples and high-rigging equipment complete is expertly illustrated and explained by the two lads in charge.

Another part of the balcony is filled with an exhibition of British Columbia wild flowers collected and mounted by V. E. L. Oddard.

One of the best-known missionaries of the province, Rev. A. W. Corker, is in charge of the Alert Bay and other Indian exhibits. Indian masques, a model of an ancient Indian chief's house and totem pole, a very good exhibit of art work from the Indian residential schools at Alert Bay; several photographs of the early missionaries of the district (including one of Archdeacon Collinson, "the saint of the North," who began his ministrations in 1873, and another of Rev. A. J. Hall, founder of the Kwaguith Mission), some early translations of the Gospels and hymns into Kwaguith by Mr. Hall and Mr. Corker (the morning service at Alert Bay is still conducted in the Kwaguith tongue); and numerous other relics are in this collection.

HISTORICAL DISPLAY

Miss Crease and Miss Newton have a fascinating historical collection which is a tabloid archives covering the history of Victoria from earliest times down to the present. Photographs and letters of Sir James Douglas, the first governor of Vancouver Island (1851-1864) and first governor of British Columbia; pictures of the first bishop (Bishop Hills); of the first prayer book used in Fort Victoria, 1843; a painting showing the consecration of the first bishop in British Columbia; are among the earlier objects of general and ecclesiastical interest. Many will be attracted to the dolls, toys and finery of the forties, fifties and sixties gathered in the long glass cases.

One of the objects of sentimental interest connected with the new cathedral is the robin's nest found during the building, of which there is a photograph, as well as a plaster model.

Numerous historic chairs and other articles of furniture are in the collection. The cradle in which seven of the Pooley children were rocked, including the present Attorney-General of British Columbia, the Hon. R. H. Pooley, is one of the most interesting.

The Mothers' Union exhibit, contained in an adjacent room, has a remarkable collection of Inca pottery, basketry, hats, belts, etc., and numerous Congo native ornaments and prisoners' badges.

A chart of the educational system of British Columbia and its development has been arranged by Mr. John Kyle in another room, with a clever model design, illuminated, showing a machine shop with turning lathe, forge, wheel, drawing table, etc., as used in the most up-to-date technical and mechonical schools in the province.

STAMP COLLECTION

Rev. F. A. Ramsey is in charge of a postage stamp collection and British Columbia woods. Mr. Ronald Angus' collection, considered the second best in existence, will fascinate all stamp enthusiasts. Other collections are Mr. N. F. Pike's; of Newfoundland stamps, Mr. Hill-Tout's, of air mail stamps, Mr. Ramsay's new issues of British Empire stamps.

Palestine, Africa, India, China and Japan are represented in the section of the exhibition devoted to art and other subjects from countries in which the Anglican Church of Canada has shown missionary interest in the last seventy years. The African exhibit, in charge of Rev. F. C. Chapman and Rev. N. E. Smith; the India exhibit in charge of Mrs. Charles Hartley; and China in charge of Miss McIntosh; and the Japanese in charge of Rev. F. W. Cassillis-Kennedy and Rev. W. C. Gemmill, Mrs. Kennedy and Mrs. H. M. Bolton.

THANKS TENDERED TO GOVERNMENT FOR NEW WARD

At a meeting of the executive of the Canadian Legion of the B.E.S.L., held in the legislative buildings yesterday when the members from both sides of the House who had served at the front were also present a resolution was passed expressing the gratitude of the Legion at the action of Premier Tolmie, the Minister of Public Works, Hon. N. S. Lougheed, and other members of the Government, for the consideration in providing for the Home for Soldiers at Essondale. The thanks of the body was presented to the Government through the agency of Colonel Nelson Spencer during his speech in the afternoon.

Colonel Spencer said that he sometimes felt that there was a disposition on the part of the general public to hold that the claims of the returned men were too often being presented.

"Is that so?" came the question from Mr. T. Uphill.

Colonel Spencer in answer said that this was not a complaint that was heard often from 1914 to 1918, a sally that was greeted with applause, especially from the returned men from both sides of the House

DEPLORES PASSING OF ISLAND'S TREES

Mr. C. L. Harrison, Speaking at Chamber of Commerce, Urges Scenic Conservation

The disastrous effect of a policy which permits the wholesale destruction of Vancouver Island's beautiful forests was deplored by Mr. C. L. Harrison in the address which he gave before an audience of motorists at the Chamber of Commerce last evening.

The occasion was the annual meeting of the Victoria branch of the Automobile Club, who were urged by the speaker to agitate the question of forest protection for its scenic value both to the Island resident and the tourist. Good roads alone were of very meagre value unless coupled with scenic attractions. The annihilation of Vancouver Island's big timber, and the appearance of acres of unsightly slash and stumps in the place of the magnificent forests which formerly lined the roads was characterised as a disgrace.

Following his general talk on the scenic road policy, Mr. Harrison gave a lantern talk, which illustrated some of the arguments he had advanced to the advantage of pushing road development in the Comox, Sooke and West Coast country Pictures of the Forbidden Plateau country, where the Vancouver Island Alpine Club and the Comox Mountaineering Club held a joint camp last August; and of the Leech River and Sooke district, taken during a two days' camping expedition made last May by the Victoria section of the Alpine Club, were particularly interesting. A very hearty vote of thanks was accorded the speaker at the end of the evening by Mr. W. J. Clubb, who occupied the chair during this part of the proceedings.

Waiter (in London restaurant)—Dinner here is a la carte, sir.

Newrich—Well, wheel it along, me lad.

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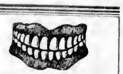

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Social and Personal

Personals, Parties Visitors

Tea Party

A charmingly arranged tea party was held at the home of Mrs W. A McKenzie, 2426 Windsor Road, yesterday afternoon, when Mrs. W Atkinson and Mrs. McKenzie entertained in honor of the wives of the Conservative members. Rose chrysanthemums in a cut glass bowl made an effective table centre, and the tearoom was lighted with rose tapers in silver holders. Mrs J W. Thompson, mother of Mrs McKenzie, assisted in receiving the guests, and Mrs. R. H. Pooley and Mrs. Jones poured tea and coffee, assisted by Miss Mary Ross, Miss Aileen Cullum and Miss Isobel McKenzie. The invited guests were Mrs. S. F Tolmie, the Misses Tolmie, Miss Carol Tolmie, Mrs. L. Andrews, Mrs. R. H. Pooley, Mrs. Pooley, Sr., Miss Pooley, Lady McBride, Mrs. J. W. Jones, Mrs. J. Hinchliffe, Mrs. F. P. Burden, Mrs. W C. Shelly, Mrs. S L. Howe, Mrs J W. Cornett, Mrs. G. A. Walkem, Mrs. T. H Kirk, Mrs. N Spencer, Mrs. R. L. Maitland, Mrs. Maitland, Sr., Miss Maitland, Mrs. R. MacKenzie, Miss MacKenzie, Mrs. W R. Rutledge, Miss Rutledge, Mrs. M. Manson, Mrs. E. C. Carson, Mrs. C W Peck, Mrs. J. R Mitchell, Mrs. J. H. Schofield, Mrs. R Hayward, Mrs. H. D. Twigg, Mrs. R. W Bruhn and Miss Ross.

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Dinner Dance

Colonel and Mrs. de Mossin entertained at a dinner dance at their beautiful home at Ten-Mile Point on Wednesday night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wilson who left for Honolulu yesterday. The house was decorated throughout with a profusion of Spring flowers, and dinner was served at round tables. Assisting the host and hostess were their niece, Miss Helen Lyons, of Boston, and Miss Enid Margaret Maclean, of Nova Scotia. Among the other guests were Mr. and Mrs. B S. Heisterman, Mr. and Mrs. C. P Hill, Colonel and Mrs. W Winsby and Mr. and Mrs. R. Halet.

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Reception and Shower

Misses Eileen and Marie Stubbs recently entertained at a reception and kitchen shower in honor of Mrs W. Stubbs, Jr., formerly Miss Agnes Sjolander, a bride of recent date, who was the recipient of many useful gifts. Among the invited guests were Mrs. King, Mrs. Landrey, Mrs. C. McDonald, Mrs P. Riddle, Mrs. W. Stubbs, Sr., Misses Clara Graham, Olga McDougall, Birnie Cummins, Myrtle King, Florence McDougall, Marjorie Bean, Annie, Ellen and Mary Girling, Marie Sjolander and Eileen and Marie Stubbs.

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Students' Recital

A very enjoyable recital was given at the studio of Mrs. MacGovern, Quadra Street, by some of her piano students Tuesday afternoon. Those taking part were Kathleen Brown, Beth Taylor, Doreen Mills, Louisa Jansen, Thora Harrison, Flora Campbell, Pearl Redknap, Vera Jeune, Christine Schmelz, Robert Taylor, Wilfred Wesley and Luther Jansen.

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Leaves for South

Mrs. James Wilby left last Sunday on the Emma Alexander for San Francisco, where she will visit her daughter, Miss Marion Wilby, proceeding later to Los Angeles, San Pedro and other Southern points to stay with relatives. She expects to be away for about two or three months.

Leave for New Zealand

Mrs. M Hargreaves, of Winnipeg, and Mrs. A. Shaw, of London, Ont., who have been visiting their sister, Mrs. George McMorran, of Mount Tolmie, for the past month, were passengers yesterday on the Ms. Aorangi, bound for New Zealand, where they expect to spend some months visiting relatives.

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Back From California

Miss Sara Spencer returned on Monday from several weeks' visit in the South, where she was accompanied by Miss Bell, of Nova Scotia, who has been her guest for some time.

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Back From California

Mr H A Ross has returned from an extended trip to California Mrs. Ross is expected to return in a week's time by boat.

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From Cumberland

Miss Mollie Tarbell, of Cumberland, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Bryden, Transit Road.

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Sail for Honolulu

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Wilson, Uplands, sailed on R.M.S. Aorangi last evening for Honolulu.

Mrs. B. Drake Elected Regent of Gonzales

The annual meeting of Gonzales Chapter was held on Tuesday at "Molton Combe," by kind permission of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Sampson. In the absence of the regent, Mrs. Nichol, and owing to the illness of the first vice-regent, Mrs. Ponton, the chair was taken by Mrs. Tyrwhitt Drake, who made a sympathetic reference to the regent and expressed the hope that Mrs Nichol would return next year and resume her position as regent. Mrs. Drake spoke of the work of the chapter during the past year, when financial assistance was given to the Amputation Club, Boy Scouts, Girl Guides, secondary education, Jubilee Hospital, Queen Alexandra Solarium for crippled children, Travelers' Aid, the upkeep of soldiers' graves and the Christmas hampers for the returned soldiers and their families.

A shortage of books having been reported by the library committee of the Jubilee Hospital members were asked to bring books to this meeting when a shower was held, resulting in the acquisition of nearly eighty volumes for the benefit of the hospital. Annual reports were read by the secretary-treasurer and educational secretary. The officers for the ensuing year are as follows Honorary regent, Mrs. Curtis Sampson; honorary vice-regent, Mrs. George; regent, Mrs. Tyrwhitt Drake, first vice-regent, Mrs. Harry Davis, second vice-regent, Mrs. Parker, secretary, Miss Alexander; treasurer, Miss Pitts; educational secretary, Mrs. Muskett; Echoes secretary, Mrs. Bagley, standard-bearer, Mrs. R. Monteith; councillors, Mrs Goddard, Mrs Alexis Martin, Miss Hall, Miss Clearihue, Mrs Monteith, Mrs Musgrave, Mrs. Hoffman, Mrs. Chisholm, Mrs Umbach and Mrs. Bannerman Campbell. After the meeting the members were entertained by Mrs. Sampson at tea, about thirty-five members being present.

Campbell River News

Mr. H. E. Elsden, of the Dominion Government Telegraph, was a visitor at Campbell River during the week

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Mr C. Tucker is at Campbell River visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Tucker.

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Mrs. J Forbes is at present visiting in Vancouver.

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Mrs Rogers and Mrs. Turrell have couple of weeks at Campbell River with Mrs Ritchie and Mrs. Ball.

Colquitz Social News

Mr Raymond Ireland arrived on Monday from Chilliwack to visit his parents, Rev and Mrs. H A Ireland, Glyn Road.

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Mr. Harold Turner, of Alberta, was renewing acquaintances last Sunday when he visited at the home of Mr and Mrs George Jones, Carey Road

Weddings

DAWE—DUDLEY

NANAIMO, Feb. 6—The wedding took place in Vancouver Monday of Florence Mae Dudley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs James Dudley, 24 Prideaux Street, to Mr. Arthur Dawe, son of Captain and Mrs A. W Dawe, Rev J Craig officiating

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Women's Institutes of Vancouver Island

STRAWBERRY VALE

The regular monthly meeting of the Strawberry Vale Women's Institute was held on Tuesday afternoon with seven members and one visitor present. The president, Mrs. Austin, was in the chair. It was decided that this institute send an exhibit to the Fall Fair to be held at the Willows the latter part of August. It was also decided to let the young people of the Colquitz Social Club have the Wilkinson Road hall at a reduced rate one evening a week, the key for the building to be kept by Mrs. C. H. Williams, Roy Road. A letter from Mrs. V. S. McLaughlin, superintendent of institutes, on "Full Time Health Insurance," was laid on the table. It was decided that the supper and social evening for members and their families, which was postponed from January 30, be held on February 20, and if a stall can be secured in Spencer's store for February 16, a sale of home cooking will be held. A vote of thanks was passed to Mr. Hall, who kindly audited the books for the past year. Tea was served at the close of the meeting by Mrs. Austin and Mrs Bennet

GARDEN CITY

The card party which was to have been held by the social committee of the Garden City Women's Institute on Friday evening, has been postponed on account of the weather.

LAKE HILL

The monthly meeting of Lake Hill Women's Institute was held on Tuesday afternoon in the institute room, with a good attendance of members and with the newly elected president, Mrs. Peddle, presiding. Conveners of committees were appointed as follows: Home economics, Mrs. Mercer, Mrs. Carpenter, Mrs. Porter; public health and child welfare, Mrs. Moody and Mrs. Elliott; schools committee, Mrs Scott and Mrs. Service; legislation, League of Nations, Mrs. Service; publicity and national events, Mrs. Webster; industries, Mrs. Calvert; institute work and method, Mrs. Peddie; exhibition, Mrs. W. Mercer. The secretary was instructed to arrange if posible for classes in physical culture. A bundle of sewing to be done for the Solarium patients was distributed to the members by Mrs. Elliott. The following resolution on full-time health units was discussed and will be voted upon at the next meeting "Whereas, health units at present established are financed by half the cost thereof being borne by local districts, one-quarter by the Province in which the district is situated and one-quarter by the Rockefeller Foundation; and whereas, the grants from the Rockefeller Foundation are of a temporary nature for a period of three years only; therefore be it resolved, that the Government of the Dominion of Canada, through the Minister of National Health, be requested to provide for financial assistance to the Provinces of the Dominion in the same manner as is at present provided for the control of venereal diseases to the extent of one-quarter of the cost of maintaining such local health units, and thus assume permanently the portion of the cost of such units covered by the temporary grants from the Rockefeller Foundation." There are already four full-time health units in British Columbia—Saanich, Kelowna, Trail and Burnaby. At the close of the meeting Mrs. Currie and Mrs Akerman served afternoon tea and a social half-hour was enjoyed.

South Pender, Saturna

Mr. A. R. Georgeson is spending a few days at home.

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Mrs L H Walker is leaving today for Victoria, en route to Vancouver, where she will be the guest of Mrs. G. Armitage

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Mr and Mrs. G F Parkyn, who have spent the last year in England, are expected to return to South Pender in April.

QUADRA P.-T. A.

A splendid programme is being arranged for the Valentine social to be held under the auspices of the Quadra P.-T. A. on Friday, February 15, in the auditorium of the school A concert of recitations, instrumental solos, dances, songs and dialogues by pupils of the school will commence at 7 30 o'clock to be followed by several amusing competitions for old and young alike After refreshments have been partaken of, dancing will be indulged in Fancy dress is optional and prizes will be given for outstanding fancy costumes worn by children and adults. Tickets, which have been limited, can be secured from members. The committee in charge are Mesdames Schmelz, Jacques, Kirby, Nevis, Parrot, Rolfe, Gray, Coleman and Miles. Decorations are in the hands of the teachers

LAKE HILL CARD PARTY

An enjoyable evening was spent in Lake Hill Community Hall on Monday, when the usual weekly card game was held under the auspices of the Centre. There were nine tables in play and prizes were won as follows First table, Mrs Sherritt, Mrs Webster, Mr Lester, Mr Campion, second table, Mrs Knowlton, Mrs. McDougall, Mr Logan, Mr Ferrier, ten bid, Mrs. Townsend, Mr Harris, consolation, Mrs Watson, Mrs Simmonds, Mr Lambeth and Mr F. Simmonds. The next game will be on Monday under the auspices of the Women's Institute and will commence at 8 30 p.m. The postponed masquerade dance will be held on Wednesday Feb 13 Good prizes will be given for the best costumes in four classes—best dressed, most original, comic and best advertising.

Former Victoria Girl Married

The following is from The Times, of Sydney, Australia. The bride was educated in Victoria and has many friends here.

"The wedding was celebrated at St John's Church, Darlinghurst, of Miss Gladys Alexandra Weatherstone, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Weatherstone, of "Capilano," Rose Bay, and Mr. Victor Collibee, only son of Mr and Mrs. J. Collibee, of Livingstone Road, Petersham. The church was beautifully decorated with white roses and masses of pale pink and blue hydrangea, and masses of November lilies, arranged in gilt baskets, were fixed to the end of the guests' seats. The service was fully choral and the celebrated baritone singer, Mr. Richard McLelland sang "All Joy Be Thine." Rev. A. C. Lucas officiated. The bride looked beautiful in an old-world gown with a bodice of ivory satin and a skirt of ninon, with bouffant drapes at one side and ankle length at the other Hand-made velvet arum lilies outlined with silver cord were the trimmings and a train of silver lame was lined with pink georgette and caught with orange blossoms and a diamente horseshoe. The Brussels lace veil was secured with a coronet of orange blossoms, which were grown in the garden of the bride's home. The bridal bouquet was of November lilies, lilies of the valley and carnations.

Mrs. Wilfred Davies, sister of the bride, was matron of honor, wearing a frock of turquoise georgette, sequined in silver. Her large black hat was finished with blue velvet streamers, the ends caught round the wrist with a diamente buckle She wore hand-painted shoes to tone with her basket of hydrangeas, which were intermingled with red roses. Mr. George Neill was best man. Miss Kitty Hammond was the dainty little flower girl. She wore an early Victorian frock of ivory tulle and a pale pink poke bonnet and slippers.

The bride's mother received the guests (who numbered over 200), at at the Empire Room, at the Ambassador, which was decorated to represent an Italian rose garden. Mrs. Weatherstone wore a frock of strawberry georgette, sequined with stawberry and black, and a wrap of black Chantilly lace. Her bouquet was in Autumn shades. The mother of the bridegroom wore black lace over crushed rose georgette, and a wrap of black ring velvet with a collar of old-gold feathers. She carried a bouquet of pink and red Radiance roses.

The bride's traveling dress was a smart ensemble in shades of cherry and oyster, with which her Ballibuntle hat toned

The honeymoon will be spent in a motor tour of Victoria and New South Wales.

Courtenay Personals

Mrs A. B. Dundas and Mrs. G. P Osler left on Tuesday morning for Victoria. Mr. Geoffrey Osler was also a passenger to the capital city en route to Honolulu.

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Mayor Theed Pearse left for Victoria on Tuesday on city's business.

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Mr and Mrs W. C. Whyte, of the Happy Valley, are spending a few days in Vancouver.

Garagemen to Hold Dance in Foresters' Hall Tomorrow

The National Motor Hockey Club will hold its first annual dance on Friday evening at the Foresters' Hall. This is the first dance given by a team in the recently formed Garagemen's League, and already a large number of tickets have been disposed of. A special four-piece orchestra has been engaged and novelties will be dispensed throughout the evening Dancing will be from 9 to 1. Tickets may be purchased from staff members.

WILL GIVE RECITAL

On Monday, February 25, just before they sail for New Zealand and Australia on a world-recital tour, which will include some places which they have never hitherto visited, Misses Constance and Margaret Izard, the English artists who are now visiting their brother and sister-in-law here, Mr and Mrs. W. Izard, will give a recital here. It will be very similar in character to that which they gave for the Ladies' Musical Club immediately on their arrival here although without repetition of any of the numbers given at that time Mrs. C. C. Warn will assist at the piano

Kitty McKay

By NINA WILCOX PUTNAM

The girl friend says her mother-in-law is like a deck chair—impossible to shut up!

Harvey-Boggs Chapter Plans Bridge Party

The annual meeting of the Valentine Harvey-Beaumont Boggs Chapter, I.O.D.E., was held on Tuesday at the home of Miss Eileen Thurburn. The reports read showed that among other donations, monthly contributions had been made towards the upkeep of soldiers' graves and for secondary education. Mrs. W. R. Sayer was elected honorary regent in recognition of her services since the formation of the chapter. The following were elected officers for the ensuing year: Regent, Mrs. C. L. Douglass; first vice-regent, Mrs. E Tomlin; second vice-regent, Mrs. R. H Bates; secretary, Mrs. D. P. W. Maunsell; educational secretary, Mrs. S. H. Brake; Echoes secretary, Mrs. G. T. Hughes; treasurer, Mrs. F. J Boughton, and standard bearer, Miss Eileen Thurburn.

Immediately preceding the annual meeting the monthly meeting was held, when a standing vote of sympathy to Mrs Bates was passed. Mrs. Curtis Sampson was nominated a national councillor, and Mrs. Sayer appointed delegate to the provincial meeting. Arrangements were made to hold the postponed bridge party on Tuesday, February 19, at the home of Miss Thurburn, 970 Heywood Avenue

At the close of the meeting tea was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Hutchison and Mrs. Stokes.

PRESENTATION TO COLONEL FOSTER BY BRITANNIA BRANCH

A pleasing and unusual feature of the annual meeting of the Britannia Branch of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., held in the clubrooms, Johnson and Broad Streets, last night was the presentation of a fine box of flowers to Colonel W. W. Foster, D.S.O., provincial president, who spoke at the meeting

The bouquet was made of daffodils, tulips and several other flowers, grown by T. B. Dempster, a member of the branch. Colonel Foster expressed his thanks and immediately forwarded the flowers to Mrs. Foster in Vancouver.

Hoover Calls Stimson

MANILA, Feb. 6.—Governor-General Henry L. Stimson today issued a statement in which he said.

"It is true that at the request of the President-elect of the United States I am about to leave the Philippines in order to take up another duty"

Stimson has been mentioned lately as the possible Secretary of State in the new President's cabinet

CHARMING PLAY TO BE REPEATED

"The Gift" Delights Audience at Memorial Hall—Illustrated Address to Be Given Tonight

The simplicity and sincerity which marked the presentation of the play "The Gift," at the Memorial Hall last evening, as a climax to the opening day of the exhibition, made a great impression upon a large audience Nona Hartley, in the part of the little lame boy, Joel, was outstanding. Clare Vincent played the part of Gabriel, Joel's friend, her diction marking her as above the average among amateurs. As Huldah, the practical, hard and unsympathetic housewife, Mary Higgs played a difficult part with ability. The part of Malachi, the aged man, was effectively taken by Geoffrey D'Arcy, and Rev. E. W P Carter deserves praise for his acting as the blind stranger. The minor part of little Martha, a friend of Joel, was charmingly acted by Mary Angus.

Miss Shrapnel's violin accompaniment assisted in making the play the success it was.

To Mrs. A. R Merritt, who coached the players, much credit is due

"The Gift" will be presented again this evening at 8 15 o'clock preceded by an illustrated lantern address "Indian Life and Customs," by Rev. A. W Corker, for thirty-eight years missionary to the Indians at Alert Bay.

Saanich Conservatives Arrange Dance

Saanich Ward Two Conservative Association will hold a dance tomorrow night in the Lake Hill Community Hall. Dancing will be from 8 till 1 o'clock A popular orchestra will provide the music and, as this is one of the social entertainments provided by the ward, an invitation is extended to all the people in the district. Supper arrangements are in the hands of the ladies' committee.

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All members and their friends should make special effort to attend.
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SYNOD HEARS OF MISSION WORK

Work Around Coast of Vancouver Island and in Quatsino Area Told by Bishop of Columbia

An encouraging report of home mission work in the Diocese of Columbia was given by Bishop Schofield in his diocesan charge to the Synod of Columbia yesterday.

In the course of this he said:

MISSIONARY ENTERPRISES

Passing to the missionary interests of the church, the Bishop said:

"The Columbia Coast Mission has continued its work on the effective lines of last year's reorganisation. The outstanding feature of the twelve months is the very considerable reduction of the society's indebtedness. For this, credit is due to the superintendent, the Rev. John Antle, and it is testimony to the wisdom of setting him free to devote himself to the managing of the mission.

"In the lower part of the mission's field, the Rev. Alan Greene has faithfully maintained his ministrations in the good ship Rendezvous.

"During the year I persuaded Dr. Duncan Scott to recognize the good and faithful work being done by Miss Nixon and Miss O'Brien at Village Island by appointing the former as one of the official teachers under the Indian Department, and the Government is now paying her a salary by means of which she shares with Miss O'Brien in the expense of the work. Recently Miss Dibben has also been added to the 'strength' of the Indian Department as field matron at Alert Bay.

"The long-looked-for development in our northern mission is, at length, accomplished fact. During January, I was able, with the hearty approval of the people of Port Alice, to appoint the Rev. William Govier as Vicar of Port Alice, and missionary in charge of the northern mission. The people of Port Alice have signed a contract with the Synod for $50 per month towards the stipend, and in addition they are to take up the customary canonical collections and apportionments. While this action will mean a large contribution from the Diocesan Mission Fund, at least for a time, a charge which we have been anticipating for some years—it marks also a forward step in our work, since it brings the people of this territory into direct relation with the diocese for the first time. I a not without hope that by this time next year it may be possible to welcome both vicar and lay representatives from the district to the Synod.

"The work in the West Coast Mission, known otherwise as Portsea Overseas, has been making steady progress under the Rev. P. P. Ardagh-Walter. Among other duties Mr. Walter has managed to visit the cable station at Bamfield fairly regularly. A sign of advancement is seen in the fact that the people of this mission, out of gratitude for the services rendered, have voluntarily undertaken to contribute $30 per month towards the stipend.

"In our Oriental mission, faithful work has been done throughout the year. The regular staff, the Rev. B. D. Li, Mrs. Field and Miss Woo, has been added to, by the arrival of Misses Chapman and Taylor. These two ladies, after long preparation in England, offered through Archdeacon Laycock to come to Victoria at their own expense, and while earning their living here to give part time voluntary service in our Chinese mission, they are proving themselves most helpful.

"Those who took part in the annual Christmas gathering at the mission were impressed with the good work being accomplished, with the increased interest and enthusiasm displayed and with the manifest growth of the spirit of fellowship.

"At Alert Bay there has been steady progress during this year of jubilee. Not only has the parish been beautifying the church building, expending a very considerable amount thereon, but they have done well in their support of the common enterprises of the church at large. All this in spite of the fact that the sawmill has been closed down for the greater part of the year. There has been a deepening interest also in the spiritual life of the parish.

"At length I am able to report that work has been begun upon the new school building. If the department plans are carried out in their entirety, we shall be in a position to develop on better lines than ever the good work accomplished through many years among the Indian boys and girls."

Woman! Woman!

By J. H. STRIEBEL

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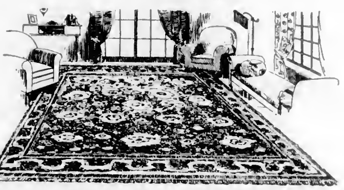

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"A Night in Japan"

At 9 o'clock Friday evening, KOMO offers the third of its series of programmes having the theme of "A Night in Japan." Talented Japanese artists provide the music for these programmes, thereby creating a programme characteristic of their native country's musical entertainments.

Vancouver Man Makes His Home In Cedar Stump

VANCOUVER, Feb. 6.—For the next two days Henry Laybourne, old soldier and campaigner, who was found living in a hollowed stump near the technical school on Tenth Avenue, yesterday, and who was charged with vagrancy, will rest under a roof. He was remanded for two days when brought before Magistrate Findlay, and it is understood steps will be taken to arrange for his future.

While almost every householder in Vancouver watched with growing concern the vanishing of his fuel store and acquired a stoop from shoveling coal and carrying ashes, Henry Laybourne, a sixty-year-old ex-service man, lived as carefree as the birds who shared his humble domicile, under a huge upturned cedar stump, which has been his home for the last two months.

Acting on information that a destitute man was living somewhere in the stump lands east of the technical school, between Broadway and Tenth Avenue, police officers searched the area and found Laybourne, snug in his simple home. An old oil can, cut to make a fire door, served as a stove, and near it were neat piles of wood and kindling carefully hacked to fit the diminutive stove. Tucked well under the half-burned hollowed stump was an ancient bed spring, over which were spread several old coats and pieces of sacking to make a simple bed.

Laybourne was reluctant to leave his rustic castle to accept the hospitality of the city, telling police that he had been much colder in France lying out in the mud on "listening post" than he was in his stump house. He did not beg, but gleaned a meagre living, and appeared to be in good health.

Leaving Canada with the 143rd Battalion, Laybourne transferred to the 2nd C.M.R. in France and served eighteen months with that unit. It is understood that ex-members of the 2nd C.M.R. Battalion will extend aid and endeavor to find employment for their former comrade.

$50 Fine Imposed

Henry Reuand pleaded guilty through counsel, Mr. T. M. Miller, in the city police court yesterday, to a charge of unlawfully supplying liquor to a minor, and was fined the sum of $50 by Magistrate George Jay. The circumstances of the case were related to the court by Constable P. W. Richards.

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At The Playhouses

'WHAT A NIGHT' AT CAPITOL THEATRE

Laughter and Thrills Abound in Film Featuring Bebe Daniels at Local House

Bebe Daniels has turned to the newspapers for the theme of her latest, ripping, thrilling comedy, "What a Night!" which opens today at the Capitol Theatre, and it is the best comedy-melodrama that has appeared here in some time, and, during the next three days of its local run, "What a Night" is bound to thrill thousands.

Excitement, thrills, laughter and love make up the adventure which this dashing star evokes in this story of newspaper life and newspaper doings. Crooked politicians, gang leaders, reporters and Bebe, herself, make up its characters. It is the tale of a "big scoop" which the newspaper tries unsuccessfully to break until Miss Daniels' blundering efforts as a reporter uncovers the necessary data.

The stage specialties include Rod and Cherie, instrumentalists and singers who know how to please; York and Lewis, in laughs and steps, and Peggy Cartwright, the well-known danseuse, along with Al Prescott and his Capitol Stage Band and Jack Reed the popular M.C.

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE Farrell Macdonald and Louise Fazenda, who scored a big hit in "Cradle Snatchers," again are seen together in "Riley the Cop," now showing at the Playhouse Theatre. The jovial Macdonald is cast as a happy-go-lucky New York patrolman. Miss Fazenda, as Lena, a beer-garden girl, meets Macdonald in Munich, follows him to Paris, and eventually lands her man in New York.

AMUSEMENTS

Capitol — Bebe Daniels in "What a Night."

Coliseum—"A Thief in the Dark," starring George Meeker.

Columbia—Ramon Novarro in "Ben-Hur."

Dominion — "Trail of '98," starring Ralph Forbes.

Playhouse—Louise Fazenda in "Riley the Cop."

Bolton, the first English actress to win a titled husband. In the present production the role is played by Sylvia Nelis, a young English singer who was with the company during its four year' run in London.

DOLORES DEL RIO IN "TRAIL OF '98"

Service's Classic of Yukon Gold Rush, With Sound Synchronization, Now at Dominion

Dolores Del Rio, former Mexican society beauty who gave up a life of leisure at the Mexican capital to become a motion picture actress, and who has achieved more success on the screen in three years than most girls have in a lifetime, has just realized her life's ambition.

She has played the role of "Berna" in "The Trail of '98," Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's great northern epic directed by Clarence Brown and now being shown at the Dominion Theatre, with sound synchronization.

Miss Del Rio is famous for her roles in "Resurrection," "Carmen," "What Price Glory," "Ramona," and other notable film successes.

The featured male roles of "The Trail of '98" are taken by Ralph Forbes and Harry Carey, while the supporting cast includes more than forty names famous on the American screen.

Farrell MacDonald and Louise Fazenda in "Riley the Cop," the Feature Attraction at the Playhouse Theatre This Week.

COLUMBIA THEATRE "Ben-Hur," the long-awaited picturization of the stage spectacle founded on Gen. Lew Wallace's immortal story, is now showing at the Columbia Theatre. The accompanying score is by David Mendoza and William Axt, the composers of "The Big Parade." The four principal romantic roles of the epic are taken by Ramon Novarro in the title role, Francis X. Bushman, May McAvoy and Carmel Myers. Betty Bronson, the originator of the film Peter Pan, is the Madonna in the Nativity scenes which form the screen prologue of the picture.

COLISEUM THEATRE "A Thief in the Dark," Fox Films mystery circus drama, now being shown at the Coliseum Theatre, is said to offer something new in comedy thrillers. According to preview critics this is an unusually fine entertainment with many new angles, including an expose of how fake mediums and spiritualists dupe their credulous victims. The picture is based on an original story by Albert Ray, the director of the production, and Kenneth Haaks, the scenarist.

No Machine Guns Nor Murders Seen In "Me, Gangster"

Patrons of the Playhouse Theatre are going to have a real treat in "Me, Gangster," which comes Monday for a six days' showing. "Me, Gangster," based on Charles Francis Coe's story, which ran serially in The Saturday Evening Post and has been published in book form, was directed by Raoul Walsh, Fox Film ace, along progressive lines. Believe it or not, there is not a single machine gun in the entire pictured story, murder is not committed, there is no enmity between lawbreakers and police, yet there always is poignant, human drama, thrills, suspense, romance, battles of wits, battles of brawn, with no scenes that is not as natural as it is logical. Don Terry, juvenile, playing the lead in his first picture, is a real artist in Walsh's hands, and June Collyer is more beautiful than ever.

"Beggar's Opera" and "Polly" at Royal on Tuesday, February 12

"The Beggar's Opera," Gay's old musical play that dates back two hundred years and has the record for the longest run of any musical attraction in the history of the English stage, comes with its sequel, "Polly," to the Royal Victoria Theatre on Tuesday, February 12, for an engagement of five nights and a Saturday matinee. The play is a satire, enlivened by sixty old airs of English, Irish and Scotch origin. It was produced by John Rich and was popularly said to have made "Rich gay, and Gay rich." The original Polly was one Lavinia Fenton, who attained fame overnight and eventually became the Duchess of

TOTS IN TRAINING AID EXHIBITION

Attractive Performance Is Given at Memorial Hall by Small Children

Yesterday afternoon twelve children, of ages ranging from four to six years, gave a delightful exhibition of singing and dancing in the auditorium of the Memorial Hall, where the seventieth anniversary exhibition and bazaar is in progress. The names of the performers were Barbara Bate, Susan Herchmer, Barbara Harchmer, Paula Merrix, Nellie Sims, Olive Smith, Joan Ziegler, Clare King, Pat Bate, Angus Kenning, Sasha Angus and John Bamford.

Mrs. A. R. Merrix, to whose energy the excellent training of these children was due, accompanied them upon the piano, and explained the system which underlay the training as the performance continued.

The programme opened with a song in which each child answered its name as called. A very effective number was the throwing of balloons, set as an exercise to music, after which a number of children's hymns were sung. One of the prettiest items on the programme was that dealing with birthday cake candles, in which the children sang "Jesus Bids Us Shine." Another interesting item, demonstrating an attempt to inculcate the spirit of internationalism at an early age, was the chorus: "Over the Sea There Are Little Brown Babies." Appreciation of the wonders of nature was another factor in the training which was shown to the audience. The children's performance, with its sincerity and grace of gesture, reflected the greatest credit on Mrs. Merrix's system of training.

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COMMISSION ON UTILITIES URGED

Union of B.C. Municipalities Expresses View of Public Utilities to Committee of the House

A public utilities commission with effective powers to control the rates, capitalization and contracts of all public utility companies and their subsidiaries was asked for by the Union of British Columbia Municipalities at yesterday's meeting of the municipal committee of the House.

Alderman Bridgman said that the Union was not in favor of an expensive commission. All the municipalities were asking was that some head be appointed to which the municipalities could appeal in case of dispute over questions of right and charges.

They were not proposing to defeat the privilege of private bills but just asking for a people's safeguard, as the municipalities had neither the time nor the money to keep watching the legislation of private bills. The municipalities were also desirous of protecting the people from blanket charges that might be considered too exorbitant for the service rendered.

Mr. Reginald Hayward suggested the standing over of this matter inasmuch as the Government, he believed, was already dealing with this question as indicated in the Speech from the Throne.

Radio Programmes

By Courtesy of Radio Doings

Summary of Schedule of Victoria and Other Pacific Coast Stations

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (475.9m)—8 a.m., The morning market quotations. 9 a.m., The closing market prices. 6.32, The Sunset Organ Recital this evening will include the following interesting pipe organ numbers, played by Edward Parsons: "Belle Gothique" (Boelmen), "Serenade" (Widor), "Romance" (Svendsen), "Introduction and Allegro" (Beche), "Pomp and Circumstance" (Elgar), "Solemn Melody" (Davis), "Soldiers' Chorus" from "Faust" (Gounod); "Finlandia" (Sibelius). 7.30, "What's Doing in Town," official weather report; "Speedwriting Special." West Coast Information Service, the correct time. 7.32, The Empress Hotel Orchestra. 11, The Crystal Garden Orchestra.

CNRV, Vancouver, B.C. (291m)—12 a.m., Morning hour of music. 12 p.m., The National Concert Orchestra.

NBC, National Broadcasting Company—11.30 a.m.-12 noon, Standard School Broadcast. 3-4 p.m., The Wanderers. 6-6.30, Seiberling programme (transcontinental). 7.30-8.30, Standard Symphony Hour. 8.30-9.30, Memory Lane. 10 p.m.-12 midnight, The Trocaderans.

KOMO, Seattle, Wash. (325.9m; 920k)—10 a.m., Inspirational services. 10.15, Health services. 10.30, "What to Prepare for Dinner." 11.30, Standard school broadcast. 12.15 p.m., Totem Gyrators. 1.30, Rhena Marshall, "Nip and Tuck." 1.45, Concert quintette. 3, The Wanderers. 4, Orchestra. 5, Riddles' programme. 6, Seiberling programme. 6.30, Spanish orchestra. 7.30, Standard Symphony hour. 8.30, Crescent Old Time Band. 9.30, Novelty Trio. 10, Associated Green Band. 11, Novelty Trio. 11.30, Late news. 11.45 p.m.-12.30 a.m., Organ recital.

KFRC, San Francisco (491.5m; 610k)—4-4.30 p.m., "The Observer." 4.30-4.35, Something About Everything. 4.40-5, Mac and his Gang. 5-5.30, The Story Man. 5.30-6, Children's hour. 6-6.30, Organ recital. 7-7.30, K. Y. Z. programme. 7.30-8, Orchestra. 8-9, Rao programme. 9-10, A Journey to Hell. 10-10.15, Amos 'n' Andy. 10.15-11.15, Junetown Orchestra. 11.15 p.m.-12.15 a.m., Concert Orchestra.

ABC, American Broadcasting Company—7-8 a.m., Vim, Vigor and Vitality. 8-9, "The Golden Hour Orchestra." 9-9.30, Better Homes programme. 9.30-9.45, Novelty programme. 9.35-10, Morning Devotional Service. 10-10.30, The Revelliers. 10.30-10.45, Hair culture. 10.45-11, The Revelliers. 11 a.m.-12 noon, American Revellers. 12.15-12.30 p.m., Novelties. 12.30-1.30, American Salon Orchestra. 1.30-2, Recital. 2-3, American Artistic Ensemble. 3-4, American Salon Orchestra. 4-5, The Melodians. 5-6, Vic Meyers and his popular Recording Orchestra. 6-6.30, Novelty programme. 6.30-7, Sonora programme. 10 B.C. from N.Y. 7-7.30, The Columbians' Thirty-Seven-Piece Orchestra. 7.30-8, Enchanters Male Quartette. 8-8.30, "Chronicles of Kats," humorous sketch. 8.30-9, American Artistic Ensemble. 9-10, American Opera Company. 10-10.30, Nite Club Skit. 10.30-10.45, Novelty Piano Duo, Francesca Lones and William Coburn. 10.45-11, Saxophone quintette. 11 p.m.-12 midnight, Vic Meyers' Popular Recording Orchestra.

KJR, Seattle, Wash. (309.1m; 970k)—7-8 a.m., Vim, Vigor and Vitality. 8-9, The Golden Hour Orchestra. 9-9.30, Better Homes programme. 9.30-9.45, Novelty programme. 9.45-10, Morning Devotional Service. 10-10.30, Down Town with the Revellers. 10.30-10.45, Georgia O. George. 10.45-11, Down Town with the Revellers. 11 a.m.-12 noon, American Revellers. 12.15-12.30 p.m., Novelty programme. 12.30-1.30, American Salon Orchestra. 1.30-2, Song recital. 2-3, American Artistic Ensemble. 3-4, American Salon Orchestra. 4-5, The Melodians. 5-6, Popular Recording Orchestra. 6-6.30, Novelty programme. 6.30-7, Sonora programme. 7-7.30, The Columbians. 7.30-8, Artistic Ensemble. 8-8.30, The Chronicles of Kats. 8.30-9, Enchanters. 9-10, American Opera Company. 10-10.30, Nite Club Skit. 10.30-10.45, Novelty Piano Duo. 10.45-11, Saxophone Quintette. 11 p.m.-12 midnight, Popular Recording Orchestra.

KGO, Oakland, Cal. (379.5m; 790k)—4-5 p.m., Concert orchestra. 5-5.30, Detective stories. 6-6.30, Seiberling Singers. 6.30-6.45, Bert Harwell the bird man. 6.45-7.30, Agricultural programme. 7.30-8.30, Standard Symphony hour. 8.30-9.30, Memory Lane. 9.30-12, The Melodians. 12 p.m.-12 midnight, The Trocaderans.

KGW, Portland, Ore. (483.6m; 620k)—2-30-3, Studio programme. 3-4, Wanderers. 6-6.30, Seiberling programme. 6.30-6.35, Thrift talk. 6.35-6.40, Concert trio. 6.35-7, Thrift talk. 7-7.15, Flower Girls. 7.15-7.30, Sports talk. 7.30-8.30, Standard Symphony hour. 8.30-9.30, Memory Lane. 9.30-10, Studio music. 10-11, Associated Oil programme. 11 p.m.-12 midnight, Dance frolic.

KPO, San Francisco (440.9m; 680k)—5-6 p.m., The Wanderers. 6.30-6, Ye Towne Cryer service. 1-2.30, Children's hour. 1.30-6, World topics. 6-6.30, Seiberling programme. 7-7.15, Federal business talks. 7.15-7.30, Sports-on-the-air. 7.30-8, Tommy Monroe and Bob Allen. 8-8.30, Caswell Musical Travelogue. 8.30-9, Instrumental trio. 9.30-10, Song recital. 10 a.m.-12 midnight, Trocaderans.

KNX, Los Angeles (336.9m; 890k)—1.30-2 a.m., The Bookworm. 2-2.30, Courtesy programme. 2.30-3, Musical programme. 3-4, C.P.R. musical programme. 4, Louise Johnson, reading horoscopes. 5-5.43, Chet Mittendorf. 5.45-6, Town Crier, amusement tips. 6-6.30, Organ recital. 6.30-7, String quintette. 7-7.30, Tom Mitchell, baritone. 7.30-8, Courtesy programme. 8-9, Platt Music Co. programme. 9.10, Feature programme. 10 p.m.-12 midnight, Dance orchestra. 12 midnight-1 a.m., Dance hour.

KOL, Seattle, Wash. (236.1m; 1270k)—12 noon-12.10 p.m., Organ recital. 2-3, Matinee melodies. 3-4, Organ concert. 4-4.30, Twilight Time. 6-7, Music, "Newscasting." 7-8, Charmed Land hour. 8-8.15, K-H Club Crier. 8.15-10, Request hour. 10-10.10, Amos 'n' Andy. 10.10 p.m.-12 midnight, Dance band.

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"Hymn to the Sun," by Rimsky-Korsakoff, Feature of Columbians' Programme Tonight

A special rhythmic interpretation of Rimsky-Korsakoff's "Hymn to the Sun" will open the programme of the Columbians, famous symphonic-jazz orchestra of the Columbia Broadcasting System, when they are featured on a transcontinental broadcast this evening. This broadcast will be released on the Pacific Coast by stations of the ABC Western Network, starting at 7 o'clock Pacific standard time.

"Hymn to the Sun" is a selection from Rimsky-Korsakoff's opera, "The Golden Cock." The theme of the opera is a fairy tale based on the wisdom of a golden cock presented to a king of the times by a great astrologer. The wisdom of the cock leads the king into many misfortunes. At the head of his army one morning the king sees a large tent lit up by the rays of the morning sun. A beautiful lady emerges from the tent followed by her slaves bearing musical instruments. She sings a song of greeting to the dawn, "Hymn of the Sun."

A Russian gypsy song entitled "Two Guitars" is the second number scheduled.

The rest of the half hour will be light and popular in tone and will consist of symphonic interpretations of "Dardanella," "The Song I Love" and "Manhattan Serenade."

Opera Stars Speak On Friday Over KJR

Quaint, lilting airs—graceful harmonies of yesteryear—will float over the ether next Friday when members of the festival company of the Beggar's Opera appear before local radio microphones.

From 4.30 to 5 o'clock an ensemble of singers will be heard via KJR and associated ABC Network stations. Alfred Heather who plays Filch, the role in which Joseph Jefferson starred in 1898, Norman Williams, Charles McGrath, Clive Carey and Sylvia Nelis, are billed at this hour.

Then at 8.30 p.m. Clive Carey, the "Dashing Highwayman," is to be interviewed at KPQW by Raymond David Holmes. An hour later Lena Maitland, authority on music and drama is to speak over KGL.

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VISITORS TO BE AT COUNCIL ANNUAL

Major Fred Ney to Address Women's Meeting Here Next Week at Metropolitan Church

Major Fred Ney, organizing secretary of the National Council of Education, and Dr. H. E. Young will address the Local Council of Women's thirty-fourth annual meeting, which is to take place in the Metropolitan United Church on Tuesday and Wednesday, February 12 and 13. His Worship Mayor Anscomb has also promised to attend one of the sessions, at which reports are to be given by conveners of various standing committees. The two days' programme is as follows:

Tuesday, 10 a.m.—Silent prayer, "O Canada," minutes of last annual meeting, appointment of returning officer and tellers, registrations at the door, correspondence, president's remarks, annual report, financial report, report foundation, report affiliated societies, standing committee report on "Migration," by Miss O'Brien; standing committee on "Laws," by Mrs. H. Crocker; election of officers and conveners of standing committees; adjournment for luncheon.

Tuesday, 2 p.m.—Minutes, reports of returning officer, reports affiliated societies, standing committees on "Education," by Mrs. E. S. Farr.

Tuesday, 3:30 p.m.—Address, Major F. J. Ney, reports affiliated societies, standing committees on "Citizenship," by Miss Bowron; standing committe on "Home Economics," by Mrs. J. W. Gibson; standing committee, "Arts and Letters," Mrs. Middleton.

Wednesday, 10 a.m.—Silent prayer, minutes, correspondence, reports affiliated societies, standing committee on "Cinema and Printed Matter," by Mrs. Llewellyn Thomas; standing committee, "Natural Resources," by Mrs. McMicking; reports affiliated societies, adjournment for luncheon.

Wednesday, 2 p.m.—Minutes, reports affiliated societies, standing committee on "Public Health," by Mrs. Booth; standing committee on "Mental Hygiene," by Mrs. C. de V. Schofield; address, Hon. Dr. H. E. Young; report, "League of Nations," Mrs. Llewellyn; new business; "God Save the King."

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LOOKS BACKWARD IN CITY'S HISTORY

Chancellor of Columbia Diocese Gives Interesting Pictures at Commemoration Meeting

The old Hudson's Bay fort on the site of the C.P.R. ticket office, tumbledown shacks along Douglas Street, shakos and long martinis, tall hats and crinolines, all were featured in the series of seventy lantern slides shown last night by Mr. Lindley Crease, chairman of the commemoration committee, and Mr. A. H. Maynard, in connection with the exhibition and bazaar now in progress in the Memorial Hall.

The pictures, which dated from the year 1860, showed, among other things of interest, portraits of Sir James Douglas and Lady Douglas, the laying of the foundation stone of the Masonic Hall, a bridge made across the Gorge which consisted simply of a couple of felled logs, the Beaver; the first steamer to plough the waters of the Pacific Ocean and the wires of the first telephone in British Columbia, where it had its origin in Victoria.

In a short address to the audience, Right Rev. C. de V Schofield, Bishop of Columbia, recalled that seventy years ago Rev. George Hills, who was the first Bishop of Columbia appointed by Royal Letters Patent of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, had been Vicar of Great Yarmouth, England.

In the year 1872 Bishop Hills, in laying the corner stone of the present Christ Church Cathedral, had said that nothing but a fine stone building could fulfil the idea of the people of this city of what a cathedral ought to be. In the year 1854 Sir James Douglas had written of the building of the first Victoria church, that the work had taken three years in completion: "longer, please God," concluded the speaker, "than the present cathedral will be in course of construction."

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

SURVEY OF CITY

Sir,—With reference to your article in Tuesday's Colonist concerning the matter of a special survey of a portion of Victoria City, which was brought before the City Council on Monday night, I would like to correct one statement in same, namely, this petition was signed and presented by all the local practising British Columbia land surveyors and not by the provincial-wide Corporation of British Columbia Land Surveyors. While this latter body would undoubtedly have endorsed same, if requested to do so, they were not consulted on the matter owing to it being of purely local interest

A. S. O. MUSGRAVE, B.C.L.S.
Secretary-Treasurer, Corporation of British Columbia Land Surveyors, 14 Arcade Building, Victoria, B.C., February 5, 1929.

CHRISTMAS SEAL CAMPAIGN

Sir,—As the Tuberculosis Christmas Seal campaign has now been closed, would you be good enough to publish the final report, which is as follows:

To gross amount collected from sale of tuberculosis stamps, $3,836.59, to amount due Canadian Tuberculosis Society, Ottawa, 10 per cent, $383.65; to cost of postage, $320; to printing tuberculosis appeal letters and envelopes, etc., $59.32; to 15 per cent payable to Tranquille Tuberculosis Society, $461 04, balance on hand in special tuberculosis bank account for distribution to tuberculosis objectives in Victoria (a report on the disbursement of which is to be made at a later date), $2,612.58.

The response made to this appeal by the citizens of Victoria was most gratifying, and we wish to take this opportunity to extend to all the thanks of the Kiwanis Club for the sympathetic and generous manner in which the appeal was met. It was a worthy response to a worthy cause.

BROOKE STEPHENSON,
President.
Kiwanis Club, Victoria, B.C., February 4, 1929

U.S. TARIFF CHANGES

Sir,—Why the loud howl from certain throats about the proposed United States tariff changes?

They tell us that $80,000,000 worth of food and $7,500,000 of leather, produced in Canada, will be barred out of the United States Will that not help the average Canadian working family to get better and cheaper food and shoes than they get now?

We are paying famine prices for bread, cheese, meat (when we get any) now In wartime we could get liver at seven and one-half cents a pound. It is twenty cents a pound now. You would think that our source of butter and cheese was the yaks of Thibet, judging by the price

Who is getting these prices? Certainly not the Canadian producer nor the small retailer Thousands of the people in Canada, especially the mothers and children, have to go without butter, cheese, eggs and beef most of the year. In God's name let every port on Canada's borders be barred until Canada's own children can get Canadian food at the lowest reasonable price. Our sons died to protect the packer's bank accounts, but the Canadian packer and exporter would starve the next generation also

CHARLES HAY FORRESTER
1465 Finlayson Avenue, Victoria, B.C., Feb. 5, 1929

ESQUIMALT AFFAIRS

Sir,—Will you allow me the use of your columns to supplement my remarks in a letter sent to you dated January 20? Very few of the electors have the opportunity to see the annual voters' list, so a few figures will not be out of place.

We have on our list 1,282 names, and, taking those off who are at a distance, it leaves approximately 1,150, made up as follows. City, etc., 258; Army, 46; Navy, 26, resident, 820, all figures approximate.

In other words, resident, 820, and non-resident, 330, or 27 per cent of the total available voters. At the January election, about 480 of the resident electors voted out of a total of 627 votes polled

The successful candidates' figures were 350, 279, and 258, for the council. These figures are very important, as I will show To do this I must quote an example, which happens to be true

Esquimalt has been divided into two camps at election time, which I will call government and opposition The government force ran on a ticket, and those on it were naturally under the impression that they were working for the benefit of the community by being there

Now, as to what really happened, I will use letters instead of names Election day arrives, and A, B and C for the government and one whom we will call D running for the opposition. C suspects that something is wrong, and voices it to B, who immediataetly goes to a certain place and there finds that a ticket is out with D's name in place of B. B asks why this is being done, and is informed that these tickets are for the city voters who would not come down and vote for A if D's name was not on the ticket. Result, both B and D got defeated, but A got in.

This may not be very palatable to those in the city, who were bamboozled by this trick, any more than it is to those in Esquimalt. I happened to be B, and have all the data.

This is the machine that we have heard so much about lately.

The gentleman in the polling booth who wished to know the secret of success of certain candidates will find the solution in the above.

What are we ratepayers going to do about this? There appear to be two solutions One is for the resident ratepayers to get together and break up this machine, which has been damaged before, and the other is to get into Victoria, where we will eventually be

The above is only one example, there being others which have come under my personal observation, and are not hearsay.

Other matters that require the attention of the ratepayers are as follows Beer Parlors vs. Public Safety, Assessments; School Education vs. the Services (I have important data on this subject); Registration vs. Road Tax; and other matters that I will deal with in the press with the editor's permission, all of which are of particular interest to the ratepayers, especially those who reside here. In conclusion, may I make a suggestion? A bona fide ratepayers' association has been formed here, and I would like to suggest that the ratepayers get into it, and help to make it a success from a community point of view. The fee is small—fifty cents a year.

GEORGE W BROOKER.
1287 Esquimalt Road, Esquimalt, B.C., February 4, 1929

Sunday School Teacher—Who can tell me the name of the first man and first woman?

Little Boy—Adam and Evil.

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$1.90

Boys' Panco Soles, solid leather school boots in black and brown; values to $4.50. Once-a-year
$2.90

A group of Ladies' Straps and Oxfords, broken lines and sizes; values to $8.50. Once-a-year
$1.90

Smart Shoes in patent and satin straps, Oxfords and ties, all sizes; a dozen styles. Don't overlook these. Once-a-year
$2.90

Here are real values. Up-to-the-minute styles and patterns in patent kid and blonde leathers, values to $9.00; Cuban and high heels. Once-a-year
$3.90

King's Quality Shoes in this group—Ladies' Street Oxfords and Tie Patterns in patent, black and brown calf leathers, values to $10.00. Once-a-year
$4.90

Growing Girls' Shoes—a big group of Strap and Oxford styles in patent and calf leathers, sizes 2½-7. Once-a-year
$3.40

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LATEST SPORT THE WORLD OVER

England Chalks Up 383 Runs in Second Innings

Hammond Contributes 177 for Visitors in Fourth Test Match—Jardine Just Short of Century—Another Record Set

ADELAIDE, Feb. 6.—Records continue to be made in the fourth cricket Test match between England and Australia. Today, Wally Hammond and O. R. Jardine, when they put on 262 runs for the third wicket in England's second innings, made a new high-water mark for the third period of a Test match for England batsmen. Hammond, who scored 177, was third player to make the individual aggregate mark in one game and became the eleventh player to score more than 200 runs in one Test match. The best aggregate for two innings was the 364 made by R. E. Foster at Sydney in the 1903-4 season. R. Spilsiffe, in the last Australian tour, got 352 at Melbourne. Hammond scored 226 in his two innings here. Hammond was at his wicket for 7 hours and 26 minutes and hit fifteen 4's.

When Australia began their second innings today they were 349 in arrears, the scores being:

England 334 and 384, aggregate 717; Australia 209.

Hammond (196) and Jardine (171) resumed England's second innings today. The English score rose from 204 to 383, when Jardine was caught by Woodfull off Oxenham's bowling. Hammond was joined by Hendren, the latter player failing to stay long. Chapman, the English skipper, was snapped up by Woodfull off Blackie's bowling before he had scored. Larwood also failed to settle down, and then Hammond was caught by Ryder, the Australian captain, from his own bowling. Geary departed after having added only six to the English score.

Five wickets had fallen for only 44 runs when Tate and White came together and stayed a rally. Tate's 47 were one 6 and five 4's. White made only 4 runs in forty minutes. Duckworth closed the innings with a single, being out leg before wicket.

Woodfull and Jackson played out time for the Australian.

Scores:

England, first innings, 334

England—Second Innings	
Hobbs, c Oldfield, b Hendry	1
Sutcliffe, c Oldfield, b Blackiet	17
Hammond, c and b Ryder	177
Jardine, c Woodfull, b Oxenham	98
Hendren, c Bradman, b Blackie	11
Chapman, c Woodfull, b Blackie	0
Larwood, lbw b Oxenhin	5
Geary, c and b Oxenham	6
Tate, lbw b Oxenham	43
White not out	4
Duckworth, lbw b Oxenham	1
Extras	16
Total	382

Australia—Second Innings	
Woodfull, not out	6
Jackson, not out	16
Extras	2
Total (for no wicket)	24

Pacific Northwest Open Golf Tournaney Set for July 17-19

SEATTLE, Feb. 6.—The period of July 17, 18 and 19—Wednesday, Thursday and Friday—was formally recommended by the executive board of the Pacific Northwest Professional Golfers' Association in session here Monday for the annual open championship of the district.

The sponsors of the dates will help Dr. C. B. Ford, president of the Pacific Northwest Golf Association, in his search for a course on which to stage the championship tournament. Oregon, Washington and British Columbia clubs in the P.N.G.A. are requested to communicate with Dr. Ford. Preference will be given to clubs in other towns than where the annual P.N.G.A. tournament is put on.

Basketball Champions Declared in City Loop

Keating Men's "B," Fidelis Ladies' "A" and Crescents Intermediate "A" Come Through With Victories in Thrilling Encounters

Men's senior "B"—Keating 16, V.M.D. 11.

Ladies' "A"—Fidelis 22, Red Birds 18.

Intermediate "A"—Crescents 23, Victoria College 21.

These are the results in a nutshell of the championship hoop games played at the Y.M.C.A. between teams in the City Basketball League. Fidelis and Crescents will enter the Island play-offs but Keating must still play a game before the title game series, before entering the Island play-off. The winners of this series will be played at the Central Intermediate champs, who finished second at the Y.M.C.A. on Saturday. Total points will decide the champs.

CRESCENTS WIN

Roy Douglas's team, two seconds before Referee DeMacedo's final whistle, gave the Crescents a 22-21 victory over College in the curtain raiser of one of the hoop programmes presented this season. Douglas, who scored 10 points, was fast, closely contested and hard played throughout. No one was serious, once previous to his final effort, had his teammates on the lead. In the first instance, however, when the Crescents made the score, 20-18 in favor of the Crescents, Chapman dropped the leather home from nearly difficult angle as his teammates ploughed through the opposition. On the other hand the V.M.D. forwards relied on their ability to drop the leather home from long ranges, and did their work out, and when the half-time whistle sounded the score was tied, Keating 14, V.M.D. 7.

In the second half the machinery men showed a little improvement, with Viggers and Blair netting some pretty baskets. However, the Keating men checked hard opposition to a standstill, while a number of misunderstandings cost the V.M.D. baskets that might easily have carried them to victory.

Tommy DeMacedo handled the game in his usual efficient manner, never forgetting to mete out the personal fouls, which were by no means scarce. The team and individual scores were:

Keating—Tubman (8), J. Lannon (2), Mitchell (7), E. Bates, G. Lannon (11), Viggers (4), Bates and Allen (11).

V.M.D.—Viggers (8), Blair (7), Marchant (11), Groves, Wragg, Mitchell and McGavin.

SEATTLE PLACES BAN ON BOXING

Death of Fighter Causes Mayor to Issue Ultimatum Is Suspended Indefinitely

SEATTLE, Feb. 6.—Boxing was in a critical state here today as Seattle today by Mayor Frank E. Edwards as a direct result of the death of Jack Kelly, a well-known Seattle thirty-two-year-old negro pugilist.

Kelly succumbed yesterday after a gruelling fight and died in a Seattle hospital from a cerebral hemorrhage. Doctors said he died as a result of hitting the canvas.

The mayor announced his ban after a conference with his unofficial boxing commission. Dr. J. T. Moriarty, Dr. Abraham Pooks and Phil Cook, of the same town, Mayor Edwards sent a message to William Coyle, manager of the Civic Auditorium, to come home from Olympia, where he was one of the sponsors of a bill which would legalize boxing in this state.

The mayor did not say how long the ban would be in effect. Boxing in this state has no legal status, as it is forbidden by state laws. Efforts have been made at every session of the Legislature in recent years to obtain a law which would permit sets to ten-round matches.

BENEFIT RUGBY GAME NETS FINE SUM FOR McRAE, OF PIRATES

The Victoria Rugby Union was able to hand over the sum of $111 to George McRae, injured Pirates' rugby player to tide him over his Jubilee Hospital. The money was the gross amount secured at the game which staged a short time ago. Mr. Macrae, secretary of the Victoria Amateur Athletic Association, granted the union free use of the athletic field and by so doing helped to increase the sum for the unfortunate player.

THOMPSON LEADS IN BERMUDA GOLF

HAMILTON, Bermuda, Feb. 6.—Scoring a fine 76 over the Belmont Manor course, Donald Thompson, Jr., of Hamilton Ont. took camp with a 10-8 score and then in the late draw winning from Steward, of Winnipeg, 12-3.

Basketball Champions Declared in City Loop

Oarsmen to Confer On Rowing Classes

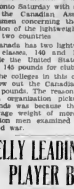
PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 6.—Members of the National Association of Amateur Oarsmen will confer in Toronto Saturday with a committee of the Canadian Association of oarsmen concerning the standardization of the lightweight classes in the two countries.

Canada has two lightweight rowing classes, 140 and 150 pounds while the United States has but one, the 150 pound class oarsmen.

The colleges in this country also follow out the Canadian policy of 150 pounds. The reason the American organization picked out 145 pounds was because that was the average weight of more than five million men assembled during the world war.

KELLY LEADING PLAYER BALLOT

Blond Right Winger Maintains Definite Lead—Fans Vote—Kvans Close Second



HELEN WILL MARRY AFTER EUROPE TOUR

Wedding Planned to Follow Summer Trip Across Water for Miss Wills—Busy With Art

PLANS TO SHOW WORK IN LONDON

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 6.—"I expect to go abroad in April," said Miss Helen Wills today, "and when I return in the Fall, Fred and I will make more definite plans for our wedding. I have not the slightest idea at present just when I will be married—I only know this. I'm going to be Mrs. Fred Moody sometime in the Year Nineteen. Miss Wills addressed a stray look of half-timid gaiety at the gold-brown hair with the tinge of auburn.

BUSY WITH ART

"In our Spanish apartment—she went on, "girls planned months and months ahead. I'm all time for marriage but I don't think the modern girl needs make such elaborate preparations. Just now, when I am not on the tennis court, I am devoting most of my time to painting.

Helen modestly displayed several very excellent water-colors which she recently has completed.

PLANS EXHIBIT

"I've been asked to exhibit some of my work in a London art gallery," she said, her blue eyes twinkling. "I'm awfully excited about it."

She planned for a moment as her studio dark, where lay a typewriter and a sheet of manuscript.

"It's so hard to decide what to concentrate on," she mused "Of course I adore drawing, but I like to write, too. Oh, no, I don't mean my book on tennis—I want to write short stories."

HELEN WILLS

Loughran Figures Win Over Emanuel Enough for Title

Light-Heavyweight Champion Says He Is Entitled to Consideration as Being Heavyweight Champion After Great Showing in South

By TOMMY LOUGHRAN

Light-Heavyweight Champion of the World (Copyright, 1928, by the North American Newspaper Alliance)

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 6.—My winning over Armand Emanuel last night demonstrated to the fans all that I am entitled to consideration as the heavyweight champion of the world. The fight was exceptionally fast and bitterly contested throughout. At one boundary I was slightly outweighed by fifteen pounds, which is probably enough for any man in the world, my speed was unhampered and my punching power was apparently more powerful than sporting to so much clinches.

As the bout was limited to ten rounds, and knowing that Emanuel was a fast finisher, I was much worried by confidence from recent victories, my plan of battle in starting off at speed proved to be a great error. Also A hard right-hander took the point on my nose, which I felt during the first round and the resulting clinches left him open to body attacks.

As the fight progressed and Emanuel opened up I was able to use precisely every blow in my category, which convinced me that in slammering a fast fellow solidly I can hold my own, if not outdo any of the leading contenders for the heavyweight championship crown.

Emanuel was much stronger in this fight. He weighed one hundred and twenty pounds. He did not attempt to sneak in at the light-heavyweight poundage and for that reason had all his strength and reserves in the fight. Last year Emanuel tried at the lighter weight, although the New York fight was supposed to be a non-titular affair. At that time the Coast champ showed the effects of weight reducing, as he did in later fights at this weight. At one hundred and eighty pounds Emanuel was a totally different fighter and his strength in the clinches was far beyond anything he showed in the New York contest.

In calling attention to this matter I shall to give Emanuel the credit due him and by so doing establish my own right to recognition as heavyweight champion by scoring a great victory at the hands of a local referee.

Emanuel is fast and clever and needs but one thing to become a great fighter at the present writing—experience. Fine generalship is born of experience, and as soon as Emanuel learns how to judge his pace and carry on in the face of difficult situation, he has will appreciate the value of holding to official verdicts over him.

Armand has a lancing left, like a jab, and he uses it effectively. A speedy footwork and, being a college graduate, has a keen intellect, above that of the average fighter. He thinks quickly and acts on the spur of a mental decision, it is this fact which makes him a dangerous foe at all times.

In two contests which I recall Emanuel has covered for ten rounds and then rose to collect his wits and opponents. He should have right he employed in scoring these knockdowns in good one. I was able to avoid them by slashing through his guard with a numbering left hook to the body. This threw him off balance and, as noted before, Emanuel, lacking time experience, is unable to disguise his anxiety to score with his right.

Emanuel proved himself to be a fast fighter, fair in all situations and far better than the current run of heavyweights.

TOMMY LOUGHRAN

ART SPRUSTON TO BATTLE SHERWOOD

Ladysmith Leather Thrower to Appear in Main Event of Saturday's Amateur Card

Art Spruston, Ladysmith leather thrower, who registered a technical k.o. over John Plant, of Vancouver, in the main event of last week's amateur fistic show, will appear in the headliner again on Saturday, but this time against Percy Sherwood, local boxer.

In the semi-windup, Sonny Buxton, 130-pound local battler, will step three rounds with W. McDonald, of the Royal Canadian Navy. Geordie McKeown has been matched with Doug Gibson, while Tommy Drysdale will mix with Bob Hawkins. Young Perlite, of Nanaimo, will make his second appearance of the season when he thinks over the ropes to battle Wilfred Shoulder.

Other boys who will appear on the card will include Dave DeBarr, Jeff Edgelow, Art Bennett, H. McDonald, Bill Smith, Ted Barton, Ed. Price, H. Troyer and H. Baldwin.

As a new innovation the club will feature a ladies' night, which give the ladies free admittance if escorted by a gentleman.

The boxers have been training nightly for the card and promise to give the fans plenty of thrills. Tickets may be secured at P. B. Richardson's 726 Yates Street.

Minor Hockey Results

CANADIAN PRO HOCKEY
Kitchener, 3; Toronto, 2.
Windsor 7; London 1.
Niagara Falls, 4; Detroit, 1.
Buffalo, 2; Hamilton, 0.

LESSONS IN BOWLING

BEGINNERS SHOULD START USING A STRAIGHT BALL ONE DELIVERED WITHOUT A TWIST OF THE WRIST

In bowling, what sort of a delivery should a beginner use?

Answered By
JAMES BLOUIN

Former World's Classic Bowling Champion, American bowling is congress individual champion and all-around champion. One of the greatest bowlers in the game today.

Beginners should always start using a straight ball, one which is delivered by allowing it to slide from the fingers without any twist of the wrist. Point the thumb at the ball out of trouble and sensitive the beginner to use the straight bowling tool first. More seasoned players use this straight ball to drop off lane pins or combinations of pins.

This is the first of eighteen brief lessons in bowling, which will be of real value to any man or woman interested in the sport. Half the lessons will be by Blouin, the Brooklyn half by Jimmy Smith, two of the biggest bowlers in the world today. It is a rare privilege to have two such instructors. The rest will be little lessons One will appear each day

DEL MONTE POLO TO START TODAY

DEL MONTE, Cal. Feb 6.—The polo capital of America has shifted overnight to Del Monte Half of the highest rated polo stars arrived last night and yesterday, while many others have been located in this vicinity for several days. In addition to the Eastern luminaries, famous mallet swingers from Australia, Hawaii, Argentina and California players are on the ground for the Pacific Coast championships which start Saturday, following preliminary games today and tomorrow

BOWLING

TICKERS TAKE TWO

Times Tickers toned a wrench into the fireplin pennant aspiration of the Dynamites on the Arcade alley last night by taking two of the three games. By winning the majority of the games the Times' aggregation continues to stay near the top rung of the ladder. Les Fox walked off with the aggressive honors by knocking over 200 pins in each game. His total was 646. Ted Hendershot broke loose in the final game and won the individual honors with a score of 272. R. E. Lemon led the Dynamites with an aggregate score of 629, and individual of 222.

Times Tickers

L. Fox	235	204	207—646
C. Williams	144	166	160—470
J. Birckland	142	256	125—506
R. Wood	181	214	165—560
T. Hendershot	177	148	272—537
Totals	819	988	910—2697

Dynamites

O. Clarke	184	189	160—533
O. Fairfull	209	169	180—558
R. H. Lemon	178	199	252—629
A. Harmer	168	179	131—477
H. Burdis	127	141	161—429
Totals	866	896	893—2675

BAGGAGEMEN TAKE THREE

Victoria Baggage, leaders in the Commercial League increased their standing by taking three straight games from Restover "A" on the Arcade alleys last night. R. Loughton, of the Baggagemen, took the aggregate honors by spilling 504, and was tied with J. E. Leetham for individual laurels with 186

Victoria Baggage

R. Laurhton	162	153	189—	504
V. Irwin	160	152	144—	401
J. Corcoran	197	120	164—	481
J. E. Leetham	152	189	189—	560
J. Wilson	153	182	125—	461
Totals	799	776	811—	2346

Restover "A"

C. Ackerman	118	100	111—	329
C. Butler	113	126	105—	344
G. Rawlinson	135	108	152—	395
F. Gray	107	131	113—	351
W. McRay	129	148	146—	443
Totals	602	625	664—	1891

Youngsters Show Way At Winnipeg Bonspiel

WINNIPEG, Feb. 6—Stars of the curling game have met West and North and South yesterday played their opponents in the Manitoba Curling Association's forty-two rinks bonspiel, and many of them suffered defeat at the hands of youngsters who have invaded the rinks this season

The Barwell rink from Yellow Grass, Sask., was the only Saskatchewan aggregation in the afternoon draw. In the Brina competition the Saskatchewan visitors won two matches, first taking Moorhead of Douglas, Man., into camp with a 19-8 score and then in the late draw winning from Steward, of Winnipeg, 12-3.

SEATTLE PLACES BAN ON BOXING

Death of Fighter Causes Mayor to Issue Ultimatum Is Suspended Indefinitely

SEATTLE, Feb. 6.—Boxing was in a critical state here today as Seattle today by Mayor Frank E. Edwards as a direct result of the death of Jack Kelly, a well-known Seattle thirty-two-year-old negro pugilist.

Kelly succumbed yesterday after a gruelling fight and died in a Seattle hospital from a cerebral hemorrhage. Doctors said he died as a result of hitting the canvas.

The mayor announced his ban after a conference with his unofficial boxing commission. Dr J T Moriarty, Dr. Abraham Pooks and Phil Cook, of the same town, Mayor Edwards sent a message to William Coyle, manager of the Civic Auditorium, to come home from Olympia, where he was one of the sponsors of a bill which would legalize boxing in this state.

The mayor did not say how long the ban would be in effect. Boxing in this state has no legal status, as it is forbidden by state laws. Efforts have been made at every session of the Legislature in recent years to obtain a law which would permit sets to ten-round matches.

FOOTBALL BODY WINS LIBEL SUIT

Action Brought by Former Chairman of Arsenal Club Against Association Dismissed

LONDON, Feb. 6.—Judgment was given for the defendants, the Football Association, today in the action for libel brought by Sir Henry Norris, Lord Hewart, Lord Chief Justice, ruled that the occasion was privileged, there was no evidence of malice and there was no case to go to the jury.

Sir Henry, formerly chairman of the Arsenal club, said a committee appointed by the association had made certain libelous charges against him. The commission, he claimed, had said he had improperly taken from the funds of the Arsenal club £22 for his chauffeur's wages, which the commission ordered him to return.

The commission further alleged that the plaintiff had been with the proceeds of a cheque made payable to the Queensborough Motor Company. The committee recommended that he be suspended from football.

Sir Henry emphatically denied the charges, claiming that he had not robbed the club of a penny and that he was regarded as his benefactor and valuable supporter.

The defendants made a plea of justification fair comment and privilege.

Interrupted after the judgment, Sir Henry said he was finished with football and finished with fighting for football. He would make no appeal, he said.

Lindsay Wins Curling

TORONTO, Feb. 6.—Lindsay today won the Ontario Silver Tankard championship, defeating Toronto by seven shots in the final of a 22-19 count in the deciding match of the league schedule. The winners hold a two-point lead over all the three-quarter mark, but the Lindsay rink and the Brin Brins are not strong enough to upset the Fidelis Isabel Crawford of the Fidelis and Alice Dean of the Red Birds, led the scores with nine points each.

As in the first game, there was plenty of lively checking, but Allan LeMarquand, who referred, handed out plenty of personal fouls, and had the game in hand and also on the teams and individual scores were:

Fidelis—L. Crawford (9), J. Pomfret (3), T. Bailey (6), B. Macintosh (4), I. Pettinoud (2), Isabel Crawford, E. Pomfret, Bell, C. Freeman and M. Bruckenridge.

Red Birds—B. Peden (2), T. Rennie (4), O. Holder, M. Dean (9), B. Boyce (2) and O. Lea (3).

KEATING WINS

Playing a more open game, passing more accurately and shooting with more deadly precision, Keating men's senior "B" cagers defeated V.M.D. in a fast, hard-fought and heavy-checking encounter. The machinery men took an early lead, which they held for a few minutes, but once the adversaries went out in front they were never headed. Tubman, speedy forward for Keating, was dropping the leather home from nearly difficult angles as his teammates ploughed through the opposition. On the other hand the V.M.D. forwards relied on their ability to drop the leather home from long ranges, and did their work out, and when the half-time whistle sounded the score was tied, Keating 14, V.M.D. 7.

In the second half the machinery men showed a little improvement, with Viggers and Blair netting some pretty baskets. However, the Keating men checked hard opposition to a standstill, while a number of misunderstandings cost the V.M.D. baskets that might easily have carried them to victory.

Tommy DeMacedo handled the game in his usual efficient manner, never forgetting to mete out the personal fouls, which were by no means scarce. The team and individual scores were:

Keating—Tubman (8), J. Lannon (2), Mitchell (7), E. Bates, G. Lannon (11), Viggers (4), Bates and Allen (11).

V.M.D.—Viggers (8), Blair (7), Marchant (11), Groves, Wragg, Mitchell and McGavin.

Peter Jackson Will Work Out This Morning

Billy Brainer, manager of the original Young Peter Jackson, left on the afternoon boat for Vancouver yesterday. He will return this morning in company with Jackson, who is scheduled to match with Jack Miller, local heavyweight.

Jackson will work out at the Tillicum gymnasium at 10 a.m. today.

Sharkey Will Work Out Here Today

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. Feb 6.—Jack Sharkey today was prepared for a strenuous session with his sparring partners, while Young Stribling, the Boston sailor's adversary in the scheduled ten-round bout here Friday, February 27, cast about for some way to "get the feel of the breeze" in his face.

Stribling will not "get the feel of the breeze" by opening over the cockpit of his airplane for he was informed today that Promoter Jack Dempsey's injunction.

Friday he will go to Tampa with Jack Dempsey to arrange the match. Sharkey probably will referee one of the matches

While Stribling held to his nightly workouts, the two and one-half miles road work, his faster-manager conferred with Johnny Buckley, Sharkey's aide, over a referee. No selection is expected until shortly before hostilities.

Vernon Beats Enderby, Ties Up Okanagan Loop

VERNON, B.C., Feb. 6.—By defeating Enderby here last night Vernon tied up the Okanagan Hockey League. Vernon and Enderby each have won seven starts The tie will be played in Enderby on Friday night when Vernon plays the return game there. Enderby players served ten penalties last night, two men being sent to the gaol bench three times, two of these being for fighting at wives, times players of both teams were chased off by Referee Sinclair

Canmore Icemen Win

BANFF, Alta. Feb 6.—Playing two games within a period within four minutes of the final bell, Calgary British American Oils and Canmore Intermediates, finished the fans at the Banff Winter sports throughout every minute of an exceptionally fast and drawn game here last night When it seemed the game would go into overtime a scrimmage occurred round the Calgary goal that ended with Wright passing the puck to Cherak who tallied the winning goal for Canmore.

Need of Money Forced Negro Into Death Go

SEATTLE, Feb. 6.—Need of money led Eddie Carwarthen, Portland welterweight, into the ring for the final fight here last night, although he knew he was too ill for the match. W. C. "Red" Smith, an acquaintance, reported today.

Smith will be called before a coroner's inquest tomorrow in the death of the fighter shortly after he was knocked out by Cecil Geysel, of Seattle

It was not the negro's first scrape with death in the ring. Dr. A. B. Peacock, of Marshfield, Oregon, reported today that Cartwright was unconscious for thirty minutes after he was knocked out in a bout there last Friday.

THIRD ROUND DRAW FOR SCOTTISH CUP FOOTBALL IS MADE

GLASGOW, Scotland, Feb. 6.—Surviving teams in eight teams, by big soccer clubs in Scotland contested in another meeting each other in the Scottish Football Association Cup competition, the third draw for which was announced today. Rangers, Celtic, Motherwell, Aberdeen and Kilmarnock have all drawn weaker teams as opponents. With the exception of Celtic, they will all have to travel. Replays from the second round matches ended with the last Edinburgh team in the competition, Murrayfield Amateurs, among the clubs to fall. The feature replay was the meeting between Airdrieonians and Cowdenbeath, the former winning by 3-2 after extra time.

The draw for games to be played on February 16 was made today as follows:

Raith Rovers vs Dumbarton
Celtic vs. Arbroath.
Motherwell vs. Bothkerwell.
Ayr vs. St. Mirren
Falkirk vs. Aberdeen.
Dundee vs. Dundee United.
Hibernian vs. Hamilton.
Clyde vs. Rangers.

Elmwood Beaten

WINNIPEG, Feb. 6.—Defeat for the first time this season entered against Elmwood Hockey Internationals in Winnipeg junior league last night when they lost to Columbus Club, 4-1.

NATIONAL LEAGUE BASEBALL TO OPEN UP ON APRIL 16

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—The controversy over Sunday baseball in Boston has been adopted on the National League schedule for 1929.

The schedule providing for Sunday games in the Hub was turned over to President John M. Heydler by the league club owners in annual schedule session yesterday. He will declare it adopted as soon as if the Boston Braves finally are permitted to play on Sunday, or revise it if such is not the case. The league season will open on Tuesday, April 16, five days later than last year, and close Sunday, October 6, a week later than a year ago.

TONY CANZONERI PUTS SANGOR OUT

Former Featherweight Champion Shows Away Well against Challenger in Seventh Round

CHICAGO, Feb. 6.—Tony Canzoneri former world's featherweight champion, blasted the title hopes of Joey Sangor, Milwaukee challenger when he knocked him out in the seventh round of a savagely-fought bout in the Coliseum tonight.

The match was fought before a record-breaking indoor crowd of more than 11,000, with gate receipts of approximately $45,000.

Sangor fought a courageous battle and was dangerous until the last punch was thrown in Canzoneri's chin. But the New York boy, superior in footwork and ring craft proved much the master of the situation from the start.

In the second round he knocked Sangor out completely with a right crosses to the chin, but the bell saved the Milwaukee featherweight. Sangor was lying flat on his face, dead to the world when the gong ended the round as the timekeeper reached the count of seven.

British Promoter Dies

LONDON, Feb. 6—Harry Jacobs, British boxing promoter, died here this afternoon.

College Athletes Leave For Mainland Tomorrow

Condition of Grounds Will Depend on Carrying Out of Rugby- and Grass Hockey Games—150 to Make Trip

When the C.P.R. steamer pulls out of the inner Harbor tomorrow afternoon she will have aboard a large passenger list about one hundred and forty Vancouver Island girls on a route to the Mainland for their annual athletic invasion against the University of British Columbia.

The success of the invasion will depend largely upon the condition of grounds on which the Rugby and Hockey games are to be played in place. As in the past the Intermediate Rugby fixture will hold the spotlight, if carried out. Fifteen husky young men will make the journey of "Cherry" Hume will board the boat, with all the confidence in the world installed in them

The Rugby team will take to take place at 7 15, and therefore will only have a few minutes to hand on the ice. Coach Hume's Senior Varsity team will be on board.

Bernice Pesner will guide the ladies on the grass field as she has such well-known stars as Jean Moody, Alice Code, Jean Edwards, Nan Eve, Cis Hammerbye and Ruth Fields

Mary Burkiln will skipper the grass hockey team against the Mainlanders, and a win is expected, if the game takes place. The following made up the Varsity team: Captain, Chris Chatton, Len Backler and Ken Moore.

Ice hockey—Wes Nelson (captain), Ken Moore, S Paterson, C. Chatton, Morton, Coventry and Allan

Chatting will be enjoyed on the steamer going over, with Ernie Code at the traps and "Bunk" McKeown at the piano. Mrs Hume Cage is chaperoning the boys, and Miss Ruth Humphries will look after the girls. The boys will be housed at St Regis and the girls at the Dunsmuir Hotel

BALL CURVES IN TO GREEN AND STOPS DEAD IN THE CUT SHOT

How is the cut shot played, and what effect does it have on the action of the ball?

Answered By
BOB CRUICKSHANK

This is a shot I would advise the average golfer to forget, as it will only cause him trouble and heartaching In playing this shot, I stand a wee bit more laterally advanced and use the same grip as I use for the ordinary approach shot. I strike at the ball I allow a good deal more of the right shoulder to come into the ball than ordinarily is a result the ball is given a spinning movement to the right which finally turns the flight that way. One great golfer, when asked how he had played a certain cut shot, replied, "I thought it just as I hit the ball." That is a good rule. "Think it through" the mind governs the club's action.

GOLF AS CHAMPIONS PLAY IT

Tex Rickard's Autobiography

This is the only autobiography written by Tex Rickard. It was dictated in collaboration with Rodney Dennis, sports editor exclusively for The Colonist and the North American Newspaper Alliance. Shortly before Rickard's death he discussed with Editor plans for publication of Dennis' manuscript in The Colonist. This story begins with the school of the Nevada Bonanza; which is apparently in daily chapters.

BY TEX RICKARD

(In Collaboration With Rodney Dennis) (Written Exclusively for The Colonist and The North American Newspaper Alliance)

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As I have said in a previous chapter, it is comparatively easy to get another big fight with deep interest and growing pride. Their help was invaluable.

I doubt if the public of this day fully realizes the perfection with which those details were carried out. Every man on his job seemed to take a pride in his work. The result was astonishing. We handled nearly 100,000 people that historic afternoon in Jersey City and there was not one accident. It was not necessary to make an arrest. This very remarkable state of affairs was due mostly to the splendid policing and handling of crowds given by Mayor Hague and his officials of Jersey City. He planned and executed wonderfully.

The thing that caused me the greatest anxiety and apprehension was the possibility of rain. You can readily visualize what might have happened had a downpour of rain set in after that great throng had been seated. Of course, if it had rained a few hours in advance we could have postponed the fight. The thing I wanted to avoid, and the thing that I sometimes feared, was a panic due to sudden weather changes.

I don't know if I was born under a lucky star but the fact remains that I have had the greatest good fortune in the world in my ventures when it comes to weather.

A BACKBAND DAY

The details of all these arrangements were told over and over again in the daily papers. I think that the average boxing fan as well as the stay-at-homes are thoroughly familiar with them. Suffice it to say that when the sun rose on that dull morning of July 2, many thousands were lifted from my shoulders. Nobody ever got a greater birthday gift, did out of that day of good weather.

As these arrangements went on—before they really got under way, in fact—Carpentier and his entourage, including Descamps, his manager, arrived from Europe and went into training at Maplewood, N. J.

The Dempsey outfit went into training at Atlantic City.

These camps made the watched, as well as the work going on at Boyle's Thirty Acres. No hands were ever fuller than mine. The press went took care of hundreds of newspaper men were in New York eager to elaborate the slightest incident into a readable story.

As I expected, the arrival of Carpentier added all the fuel we needed to the fire of publicity. Descamps was almost as good for newspaper copy as the French champion himself. Descamps was a showman by profession, even before he got into the fight game.

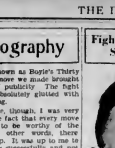
Writers were quick to start legends about the fusty little manager and to relate stories of the war records of Carpentier. Anything that smacked of romance was eagerly sought by readers. This ten-strike in publicity was greater than all the gold strikes in Alaska put together.

For instance it was related how Descamps, a wonderful showman, dealing in hypnotism and legerdemain, had given a performance around Lens, the mining section where Carpentier came. He took a rabbits out of hats, hypnotized subjects in the audience and so on. Finally he wound up with a boxing exhibition, being a very clever boxer himself. He had long been a trainer of athletes. The boy Carpentier was Descamps' show and wanted to box. He got his chance. Descamps saw a future for him. The young Carpentier hit way right to the top, through all the different classes as he grew heavier. So successful was he that Descamps never took another rabbit out of a hat.

Now, wasn't that sort of publicity worth a dollar?

(Next: There Never was a Grudge Fight.)

Fights Benny Wendell Saturday Night



NELS FERGUSON

Vancouver's most prominent lightweight boxer, who will oppose Benny Wendell of Seattle, in one of the six-round bouts at the Victoria Exhibition Stadium Saturday night. Ferguson is a member of the Canadian Olympic team, and is a product of the Jimmie Mellon gym. Wendell is a Jumbo Dorian boxer, which has been ruined, due to Bachelard being sick with influenza.

Genie Shows GREAT FORM IN WARM-UP

Son of Man-o'-War Cops Feature at Tijuana Oval in Decisive Fashion on Sloppy Track

ANCIENT SERENADER WINS SEVENTH RACE

(Special to The Colonist)

TIJUANA, Feb. 6—It was "Wake-Up Day" along the border today and Genie, the big noise in the Coffroth, took his turn in the Santa Ana Purse, over a six furlong course. The Cochrane' excutcheon has threatened before, albeit questionably. Today the Man-o-War colt was not trifling and proved conclusively that a mangy track is his leather. When let down by Jockey Kidwell turning out of the back stretch, he bypassed them all like they were hogged and hobbled home the easiest sort of a stinker. W. R. Coe's Old Dutch, a Fairplayed horse, finished second, and Bon Pille third.

Results—Northrunner

George Drumheller scored with Pal, always a favorite here, in the third race. Jockey Miller rode the pelting and had ridden a few horses, but when dropped his nobbin down in front of the Irwin-Leslie Kid, Carlos, the Northwesterners realized $20.40 on a paid-up ticket.

Field players had an inning in the first, when Via located the wire at a stretch and beat the favorite, Lucky Boy, in a dogfight.

Ten-year-old Serenader, flaunting the purple and silver silk of the late Lubrae Stables, led his field throughout in the seventh claiming race. Jockey Snider kept his charge from enough in front to quiet the expectations of the Northwesterners, but enough urge at the end to win in the clear. Tanist, the second choice, was far back in the early part, but closed resolutely in the stretch, finishing a place from Frank O. Mentz. Baby Jane, the favorite, did not care for the kind of a day.

Results follow:

First race—Six furlongs
Via (Mitchell) 7.80 4.80 3.20
Lucky Boy (Jones) 4.20 3.20
Tanius (Douglas) 3.20
Time, 1:15 4-5. Also ran: Wagonette, Aztec Parks, Willow Brassie, Pennsylvania, Lady Dorothy, Ancient Ann, Lady Ann, Silver Bullet, Bella, Sunset Lass, Dee Berkshire, Cry Baby, Blue Dawn, Gaiety, Little Shasta.

Second race—Five and a half furlongs
Pal (Drumheller) 4.80 2.80 2.40
Mary Mary (Hartman) 4.60 3.20
Buzz Saw (Allen) 4.60
Time, 1:08. Also ran: Mr. Side, Week, Maurice, Lil, Donna Vera, Hilo, Shasta Lady, Ann Ann, Ann Ann, Sonnetta, Dear Dear, Golden Arrows, Lady Dartmoor, Jack Minor, Ry Pass.

Third race—Six furlongs
Pal (Miller) 12.60 14.20 5.60
Lucky Lady (Crowder) 3.40 2.80
Dr. John R. (Warren) 2.80
Also ran: Valdez, Frank Andrews, Sniff, Lady Ann, Lady Ann, Lady Dorothy, Golf Lea, Sunbeck, Pelado, Dominetland, Lady Dartmoor, Lady Ann, Lady Ann, Lady Dorothy.

Fourth race—Mile and a sixteenth
Baby Jane (Snider) 3.20 2.20 2.40
Pete Parker (Duffy) 8.20 5.60
Ancient Serenader (Jones) 3.60
Time, 2:00 3-5. Also ran: Tanist, Cleansweet, Kid Sorth, Blue Lane, Karnaac, Lady Bertha, Northern Sorrow, Northern Sorrow, Northern Sorrow.

Fifth race—Mile and a sixteenth
Genie (Kidwell) 7.80 4.80 3.20
Old Dutch (Kerr) 3.20 2.80
Bon Pille (Trimble) 3.20
Time, 1:47 1-5. Also ran: Rencoe Boy, Dealing in Hypnotism, Star of Stars, Bonny Scotland, Mountaineer, Crystal Pennant, Sir Bonnet.

Sixth race—Mile and a sixteenth
Via (Mitchell) 14.20 6.40 3.20
Tanist (Jerome) 3.80 2.20
Dr. Massey (Hartburn) 3.20
Time, 1:46 3-5. Also ran: Job, Wacky Wonder, Lady Ann, Lady Ann, Lady Dorothy, Lady Ann, Lady Ann, Lady Dorothy, Lady Ann, Lady Ann, Lady Dorothy, Lady Ann, Lady Ann, Lady Dorothy.

Seventh race—Six and seventy yards
Bill Henry (Trimble) 17.40 9.20 6.80
Lady Bertha (Jerome) 4.20 3.20
Ancient Serenader (Jones) 3.20
Time, 1:45 3-5. Also ran: Hidalgo Gold, Bella Lea, Lady Dorothy, Lady Ann, Northern Monarch, Kid Sorth, Blue Lane, Lady Ann, Lady Ann, Lady Dorothy, Lady Ann, Lady Ann, Lady Dorothy, Lady Ann, Lady Ann, Lady Dorothy, Lady Ann, Lady Ann, Lady Dorothy

SHIPBUILDING IS INCREASED

Lloyds Register of Shipping Shows World Production Last Year Highest Reached Since 1921

CONSTRUCTION FOR U.S. SHOWS DROP

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Lloyd's register of shipping yesterday announced that an increase of nearly 20 per cent of the world's production of merchant vessels was established in 1928, but the United States went further down in the construction rankings by nations.

Great Britain and Ireland had the largest percentage, and all maritime countries except the United States shared in the 400,000 gross tons increase over 1927. The merchant tonnage launched in the United States was only slightly more than half the 179,218 tons aggregate for 1927, but Great Britain and Ireland gained 18 per cent, and eleven other countries combined 32 per cent.

Many changes in the construction ranking of the various countries were made during 1928. While Great Britain, Ireland and Germany continue to hold first and second places, nearly all the other maritime nations shifted positions. The British and Irish yards, however, which in 1927 launched 936,000 gross tons more than their nearest competitor last year, widened the gap to 1,069,000 gross tons.

The United States, which in 1927 ranked third, went to seventh place in the ships sent down the ways. Holland now stands third, having moved up from fourth position, with an increase of 46,000 tons. Italy with a reduction of 42,000 tons has dropped from fifth to ninth position. Denmark has advanced from sixth place to fourth with a gain of 66,000 tons in launchings, while Sweden has gone from seventh position to fifth, with an increase of 39,000 tons over her figure for 1927. France remains in eighth position, despite an increase of nearly 100 per cent over her 1927 total, and Japan, with an even larger percentage gain, has moved from tenth to sixth.

Covering returns from all countries for vessels of 100 gross tons and upward, the report says that 1928 was the greatest year for construction since 1921.

While the United States was building 91,357 tons in 1928, Great Britain and Ireland turned out 1,445,920, and other countries 1,181,962.

WEST COAST SERVICE

Now effective, the steamer leaves for Port Alice and way ports on the 1st, 11th and 21st of each month.

Dorothy Alexander

On her first northbound trip from San Francisco, Los Angeles and San Diego, replacing Ss. Ruth Alexander, the Pacific Steamship Dorothy Alexander is due at Rithet piers about 10 o'clock this evening with fifty passengers and ninety-seven tons of cargo for discharge, according to Mr. W. M. Allan, agent.

Marine Notes

Bound for Vancouver, Ss. Junyo Maru passed up at 8:15 a.m. yesterday, Ss. Vedenburg at 1:30 p.m., Ss. Juyo Maru at 2:45 p.m., and the oil tanker H. M. Storey at 8 p.m. Ss. Quebec City passed out to sea at 7 o'clock yesterday morning, according to Federal pilots.

PRINCE RUPERT, Feb. 6.—The freighter Sydland arrived here today to load a full cargo of wheat.

Ss. Canadian Coaster arrived here from San Francisco at 10.10 o'clock yesterday morning and left for Vancouver at 2:30 after discharging 100 tons of cargo at Ogden Point docks.

Bound for Nanoose Bay, Ss. Shunsho Maru (Captain N. Jin), sailed from the C.P.S. mills at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon after loading 1,220,000 feet of lumber for Japan.

From United Kingdom ports, the Donaldson liner Gracia is due here some time on Monday, according to Rithet Consolidated, Ltd. She was scheduled to leave Los Angeles Wednesday morning.

Ss. Arabia Maru, due from Yokohama on Tuesday, has 150 tons of cargo and seven passengers for this port.

WINTER SPORTS AT REVELSTOKE

For an enjoyable outing visit Revelstoke for the Winter Carnival, February 12 to 15, inclusive.

Sports for everyone — skiing, snowshoeing, tobogganing, curling, skating, sleighing, ski-joring, dancing, etc.

Further particulars from any Canadian Pacific agent.

VANCOUVER GRAIN EXPORT FIGURES

Port to Date Has Shipped 55,620,338 Bushels, Including 36,482,418 to United Kingdom

WINNIPEG, Feb. 6.—The Port of Vancouver has exported 55,620,336 bushels of grain, figures received at Canadian Pacific offices today show. Of this total the United Kingdom and Europe have received 36,482,418 bushels, the Orient 17,964,437 bushels, the Antipodes 3,333 bushels, and other countries 1,170,150 bushels. There is today in storage at Vancouver a total of 4,844,337 bushels, and there are thirteen boats for loading in harbor.

Marketings yesterday on Canadian Pacific lines were 218,438 bushels. The average marketings for this time of year are much lower than those of previous large crops because of the speed maintained early in the season. Canadian Pacific loadings were 210 cars with 192 moving east from Winnipeg to lake head. Storage there allows a nice working basis, elevators carrying 69,910,000 bushels.

Shipping Information

SUNRISE AND SUNSET — FEBRUARY

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard time), at Victoria, B.C. for the month of February, 1929

	Sunrise	Sunset		Sunrise	Sunset
7	7 34	5 20	18	7 16	5 38
8	7 32	5 22	19	7 14	5 39
9	7 31	5 24	20	7 12	5 41
10	7 29	5 26	21	7 11	5 43
11	7 27	5 27	22	7 09	5 44
12	7 26	5 29	23	7 07	5 46
13	7 24	5 31	24	7 05	5 47
14	7 22	5 32	25	7 03	5 49
15	7 21	5 34	26	7 01	5 51
16	7 19	5 35	27	6 59	5 53
17	7 17	5 36	28	6 57	5 55

MOONRISE AND MOONSET — FEBRUARY

Time of moonrise and moonset (Pacific Standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of February, 1929

Date	Rises	Sets
7	6 54 p.m.	3 01 p.m.
8	7 30 a.m.	4 30 p.m.
9	7 59 a.m.	6 20 p.m.
(New Moon on 9th)		
10	8 23 a.m.	6 32 p.m.
11	8 44 a.m.	7 36 p.m.
12	9 02 a.m.	8 50 p.m.
13	9 21 a.m.	10 14 p.m.
14	9 40 a.m.	11 01 p.m.
15	10 00 a.m.	
16	12 29 a.m.	0 40 a.m.
17	11 00 a.m.	2 30 a.m.
(First Quarter on 17th)		
18	11 43 a.m.	2 30 a.m.
19	12 38 p.m.	4 40 a.m.
20	1 47 p.m.	5 40 a.m.
21	3 00 p.m.	6 22 a.m.
22	4 27 p.m.	7 02 a.m.
23	5 47 p.m.	7 30 a.m.
(Full Moon on 23rd)		
24	7 04 p.m.	7 53 a.m.
25	8 16 p.m.	8 12 a.m.
26	9 29 p.m.	8 29 a.m.
27	10 39 p.m.	8 47 a.m.
28	11 49 p.m.	9 06 a.m.

NOTE—These times are correct to within one or two minutes.

TIDES AT VICTORIA — FEBRUARY

Date	Time H M	Ht Ft	Time H M	Ht Ft	Time H M	Ht Ft	Time H M	Ht Ft
7	0 13	8 2	8 03	4 7	11 20	5 6	20 10	1 6
8	0 10	8 7	8 29	6 0	12 03	8 1	20 40	1 6
9	0 14	8 8	8 03	8 2	12 49	8 0	21 23	1 0
10	0 11	8 8	9 30	7 0	13 33	8 7	21 50	0 9
11	0 15	9 2	10 13	7 3	14 32	8 2	22 28	2 5
12	0 25	8 5	11 03	8 7	15 21	7 0	23 07	3 2
13	0 30	8 1	13 00	8 9	10 32	7 0	23 33	4 1
14	0 40	8 2	13 58	1 1	16 37	6 8	23 57	6 0
15	7 30	8 8	16 00	4 4	20 35	2 4		
16	0 00	8 1	7 12	8 8	11 03	2 8		
17			7 34	8 3	10 09	2 7		
18			8 08	8 5	17 07	8 9		
19			8 55	8 7	18 03	1 5		
20			9 37	8 6	18 54	1 2		
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The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of lower low water.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Esquimalt drydock at any tide, add 18.2 feet to the height of high water as above given.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Songhees Drydock add 30 feet to the height of high water as above given.

Coastal Sailings Out of B.C. Ports

COASTWISE SAILINGS

For Vancouver

C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 2:15 p.m.
C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 11.45 p.m.

From Vancouver

C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 7 a.m.
C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 6 30 p.m.

For Seattle

Iroquois leaves daily at 9.10 a.m.
C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 4 30 p.m.

From Seattle

C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 1.15 p.m.
Iroquois arrives daily at 6 p.m.

West Coast Points

B.C. Coast Service From Victoria to Port Alice and all West Coast ports, leaving Victoria on 1st, 11th and 21st of month.

Nanaimo-Vancouver

Princess Elaine leaves Nanaimo at 7 and 6 15; leaves Vancouver at 10 a.m. and 6 30 p.m. daily, except Sunday. Every Sunday leave Vancouver 10 a.m., leave Nanaimo 2 p.m.

Victoria-Port Angeles

Auto and passenger ferry Iroquois sails daily for Port Angeles at 10.15 a.m. Leaves Port Angeles at 7 30 a.m.

Prince Rupert Route

Union Steamships: Every Thursday at 9 p.m. and every Friday at 9 p.m., from Vancouver for Alert Bay, Port Hardy, Prince Rupert, etc.

Canadian National Steamships: On Mondays at 8 p.m. from Vancouver.

Queen Charlotte Islands Route

Canadian National Steamships, Fortnightly from Vancouver.

Portland Canal Route

Observatory Inlet Route

Canadian National Steamships, On Mondays, at 8 p.m., from Vancouver, for Prince Rupert, Stewart, Anyox, Powell River and Ocean Falls.

Vancouver-Ocean Falls-Prince Rupert

Weekly, Princess Royal leaves Vancouver 9 p.m. Wednesdays. Canadian National Steamships, Mondays, 8 p.m., from Vancouver.

Powell River and Comox

C.P.R. steamer Charmer sails from Vancouver midnight on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

Alaska and Northern British Columbia

Princess Mary leaves Vancouver 9 p.m., January 10, January 24 and February 7, afternoon steamer from Victoria connecting for northern ports.

Gulf Islands Service

Steamer Otter leaves Victoria for Gulf Islands at 7 15 a.m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays.

Steamer Charmer leaves Victoria for Vancouver, via Gulf Islands, at 11:00 a.m. on Tuesdays.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

TACOMA, Feb. 6.—Arrived: Mukilteo, San Francisco, Admiral Watson, Pennsylvanian, Seattle. Sailed: Admiral Watson, Mukilteo, Protesilaus, Seattle, Mystic, New York, Griffco, Britannia Beach, Willapa, San Pedro.

PORTLAND, Feb. 6.—Arrived: Kinderdyk, Rotterdam; Ms. Admiral Peary, Los Angeles. Sailed: H.M.C.S. Vancouver, San Francisco; District of Columbia, Los Angeles; Ms. Pacific Enterprise, Glasgow, Otterpool, United Kingdom; Parthenia, Glasgow; El Capitan, Los Angeles.

SEATTLE, Feb. 6.—Arrived: Protesilaus, Admiral Watson, Griffco, Mystic, Tacoma; H. W. Baxter, Sound ports; Lillian Luckenbach, Henry S. Grove, Portland; Horace X. Baxter, Cadaretta, San Francisco; E. R. Kingsbury, Charles Christenson, Los Angeles; Kewanee, Avon. Sailed: Mana, Olymont, Port Angeles; Admiral Watson, San Francisco; Robin Goodfellow, Everett; Horace X. Baxter, Sound ports; Griffco, Esquimalt; Kewanee, Pennsylvanian, Tacoma; Cadaretta, Sound ports; Mystic, Port Ludlow; Charles Christenson, Willapa; H. W. Baxter, Admiral Farragut, Los Angeles; Africa Maru, Victoria; Admiral Rogers, Alaska; H. W. Baxter, Eagle Harbor.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 6.—Arrived: Albaredo, Bandon, Malika, Boston, Manini, Shukiu, President McKinley, Manila, Olympic, Seattle, Munleon, San Pedro, Melaio, Honolulu, Golden Rod, Seattle, J. A. Moffet, Herakles, San Pedro; Golden Forest, Rochelle, Seattle. Sailed: Laina L. D., Seattle; La Brea, Warwick, Palena, San Pedro; Sirius, New York; Maukei, Honolulu; Emma Alexander, Dukiisen Maru, Jane Nettleton, San Pedro; Julia Luckenbach, Mobile.

Arrived

NORFOLK, Feb. 6.—Port Armstrong, San Francisco; Crasspool, Vancouver and sailed for Rotterdam.

CHARLESTON, Feb. 4.—Nebraskan, San Francisco for New York.

SHANGHAI, Feb. 6.—Chief Capilano, Seattle.

MANILA, Feb. 2.—Toledo, San Pedro.

DUNEDIN, Feb. 2.—Waikawa, San Francisco.

YOKOHAMA, Feb. 1.—Columbia Maru, Seattle. February 4, Hakozaki Maru, Seattle; Shunten Maru, Tacoma.

ROTTERDAM, Feb. 4.—Caroline Maersk, San Pedro.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 6.—Harlva, Seattle.

PENANG, Feb. 5.—Silver Spruce, San Francisco.

TSINGTAO, Feb. 2.—Olympia, Vancouver.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Sacramento, San Francisco.

Sailed

YOKOHAMA, Feb. 2.—Oregon Maru, Seattle.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—California, San Francisco.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 6.—W. S. Rheem, San Pedro.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 2.—Mary Ellen O'Neil, San Pedro.

PANAMA CANAL, Feb. 6.—Passed, bound west: Uranienborg, New York for Pacific ports; Harry Luckenbach, New Orleans for San Francisco; Cape Verde, Sydney for Vancouver.

WEATHER REPORT

ESTEVAN—Part cloudy, light, northwest; 30.42, 39.

PACHENA—Clear, light, north; 30.32, 33; smooth.

CARMANAH—Clear, light, west; 30.35; smooth.

CAPE BEALE—Clear; calm; 30.30; smooth.

PRINCE RUPERT—Clear; calm; 30.16, 34; smooth.

WIRELESS REPORT

(Estevan, 8 p.m., unless otherwise stated.)

SINGAPORE MARU—Japan for Vancouver, 379 miles off Vancouver.

TAIAN MARU—Japan for Coos Bay, 400 miles southwest of Estevan.

KUROHIME MARU—Japan for Vancouver, 210 miles off Estevan, noon.

FORRESBANK—Bound Vancouver, 360 miles off Cape Flattery, noon.

RYOKAI MARU—Bound Vancouver, 450 miles off Estevan.

NASSHU MARU—Tacoma for China, 240 miles off Tacoma.

COUNSELLOR—Panama for Vancouver, 250 miles off Victoria.

KING CITY—Manchester for Vancouver, 673 miles off Vancouver, noon.

SILVER ELM—San Pedro for Java, 301 miles south of San Pedro.

INDIAN CITY—Hull for Vancouver, 670 miles off Vancouver.

PRINCESS MAQUINNA—At Nootka, southbound, 4 10 p.m.

C.N.S. MOVEMENTS

CANADIAN IMPORTER—Due from Sydney February 23.

CANADIAN MILLER—En route to Halifax.

CANADIAN SEIGNEUR—Due from Halifax, March 17.

CANADIAN RANGER—At Vancouver.

CANADIAN COASTER—At Vancouver.

CANADIAN FARMER—En route to San Pedro.

CANADIAN OBSERVER—Due from San Francisco, February 10.

CANADIAN ROVER—At Vancouver.

SHIPPING CALENDAR

To Arrive

YOKOHAMA MARU—From Japan, February 6.

EMPRESS OF ASIA—From Japan, February 9.

PRESIDENT JEFFERSON—From Japan, February 11.

ARABIA MARU—From Japan, February 12.

PACIFIC SHIPPER—From England, February 16.

TALTHYBIUS—From Japan, February 18.

TOYAMA MARU—From Japan, February 20.

PRESIDENT LINCOLN—From Japan, February 20.

EMPRESS OF FRANCE—From Japan, March 2.

To Depart

PRESIDENT TAFT—For Orient, February 9.

SHIDZUOKA MARU—For Orient, February 9.

EMPRESS OF ASIA—For Orient, February 15.

PROTESILAUS—For Orient, February 16.

PRESIDENT JEFFERSON—For Orient, February 22.

YOKOHAMA MARU—For Orient, February 23.

ALABAMA MARU—For Orient, February 27.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS — FEBRUARY

China and Japan

PRESIDENT TAFT—Mails close February 9, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, February 22. Shanghai, February 26. Hong Kong, Mar. 1.

EMPRESS OF ASIA—Mails close February 16, 4 a.m. Due at Yokohama, February 28. Shanghai, March 4. Hong Kong, Mar. 7.

*PROTESILAUS—Mails close February 15, 1 p.m. Due at Yokohama, March 6.

PRESIDENT JEFFERSON—Mails close February 22, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, March 6. Shanghai, March 10. Hong Kong, March 18.

*ARABIA MARU—Mails close February 27, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, March 15.

EMPRESS OF FRANCE—Mails close March 8, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, March 21. Shanghai, March 25. Hong Kong, March 28.

*Mails for Japan only.

Australia and New Zealand

AORANGI—Mails close February 6, 6 p.m. Due at Auckland, February 25. Sydney, March 2.

†TAHITI—Mails close February 17, 4 a.m. Due at Wellington, March 11.

‡VENTURA—Mails close February 18, 4 p.m. Due at Sydney, March 14.

NIAGARA—Mails close March 6, 2 p.m. Due at Auckland, March 30. Sydney, March 30.

†Mails via San Francisco, for New Zealand only.

‡Mails via San Francisco, for Fiji and Australia only.

UNITED STATES AIR MAIL SCHEDULE

Table Showing Transit Time From Victoria

Eastbound daily, including Sunday. Air mail closing tonight at 11 o'clock.

Boise, Idaho: arrives day after tomorrow, 9.30 a.m.

Boston, Mass.: arrives on the fourth day, 9 51 a.m.

*Buffalo, N.Y.: arrives on the third day, 3.30 p.m.

Chicago, Ill.: arrives on the third day, 3:45 a.m.

Cleveland, Ohio: arrives on the third day, 11 a.m.

Dallas, Texas: arrives on the fourth day, 2 a.m.

Denver, Colo.: arrives on the third day, 6 18 a.m.

Detroit, Mich.: arrives on the third day, 12 noon.

Minneapolis, Minn.: arrives on the third day, 11 30 a.m.

New Orleans, La.: arrives on the fourth day, 10.30 a.m.

*New York, N.Y.: arrives on the third day, 9 30 p.m.

Omaha, Neb.: arrives on the third day, 12.00 a.m.

Ottawa, Ont.: arrives on the fourth day, 7 a.m.

*Philadelphia, Pa.: arrives on the third day, 7.30 p.m.

*Pittsburgh, Pa.: arrives on the third day, 1.45 p.m.

St. Louis, Mo.: arrives on the third day, 8.10 a.m.

St. Paul, Minn.: arrives on the third day, 11 30 a.m.

Salt Lake City, Utah: arrives day after tomorrow, 12.30 p.m.

*Toronto, Ont.: arrives on the third day, 2:35 p.m.

Washington, D.C.: arrives on the third day, 11 43 p.m.

Southbound daily, except Sunday. Air mail closing this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

*San Francisco, Cal.: arrives tomorrow, 1.15 p.m.

*Fresno, Cal.: arrives tomorrow, 2.15 p.m.

*Los Angeles, Cal.: arrives tomorrow, 6.10 p.m.

San Diego, Cal.: arrives day after tomorrow, 7 30 p.m.

Atlanta, Ga.: arrives on the fourth day, 2 17 a.m.

*For delivery on day of arrival a special delivery stamp will be necessary on letters addressed to these points.

CANADIAN PACIFIC TEMPORARY TRAIN SCHEDULES

Until further notice the Imperial will be routed via Edmonton and Saskatoon, leaving Vancouver 8 p.m., arriving Winnipeg 8 35 a.m. and Montreal 8:20 a.m., carrying Calgary sleeper, arriving Calgary 2 20 p.m.

Westbound train will operate same route, arriving Vancouver 8 a.m., also carrying Calgary-Vancouver sleeper.

Toronto Express will operate between Golden and Toronto only.

Special local service between Winnipeg and Calgary on schedules trains Nos. 1 and 2.

Special local service between Vancouver and Revelstoke on schedules trains Nos. 3 and 4.

Okanagan Valley service provided by No. 12 (Kettle Valley Express) via West Summerland, also via Sicamous, with through sleeper between Vancouver and Okanagan Landing in each direction.

Further particulars from any Canadian Pacific Ticket Agent.

TINPLATE PRICE NOT TO ADVANCE

Mr. A. E. Pollard, Trade Commissioner, Explains Manufacturers' Agreement

In view of persistent statements that the recent agreement between Welsh and United States tinplate producers is likely to increase the price of Welsh tinplate in Canada, A. E. Pollard, His Majesty's Trade Commissioner in Western Canada, has pointed out that there had been considerable misunderstanding with regard to the agreement. He stated he had received definite official information that there has been no price agreement between the Welsh and the United States manufacturers. The position is as follows: The only effective agreement is that the world's export trade of the two industries shall bear the relation of 70 per cent for the Welsh and 30 per cent for the American. It is anticipated that the Canadian trade will be shared as to 60 per cent by the American and 40 per cent by the Welsh industry. These proportions are, however, not the subject of agreement, but arise from other considerations: for example, the American manufacturers are in a peculiarly favorable position in the Toronto area, while the Welsh manufacturers have an advantage in the Montreal and Vancouver areas.

There is no reason to fear that the agreement as to relative percentages of export trade to be obtained by the two countries will have any real effect on prices, and the Welsh tinplate and sheet manufacturers state that, subject to ordinary market fluctuations due to changes in the price of raw materials, there will be no increase in the price of tinplate to the Canadian purchasers.

There is an excess of plant in the world for the world's present requirements, and the considered policy of both the United States and the Welsh manufacturers is to keep prices as low as possible in order to obtain, if possible, an increased consumption. A further and most important point is that there is intense competition on the London market for any business which may be offering. It is a fact, which can be easily tested, that Canada can purchase any quantity of Welsh tinplate she requires in London at competitive prices.

Mr. Pollard informed The Colonist that British manufacturers greatly appreciate the preferential duty in Canada. Although the great bulk of the tinplates imported into Canada are re-exported as containers for food products, and the duty, or the greater part thereof, is recovered, the preference has nevertheless been of great value to British makers by assisting them to compete in the Canadian market, and consequently to Canadian purchasers by keeping the price level lower than would otherwise have been the case. The existence of the preferential duty has the important effect of reducing the price of tinplates to the Canadian consumer.

PRINCE RUPERT, Feb. 5.—R. R. Henderson, Canadian National Railways agent at Usk, dropped dead at his home shortly after having written a message. He had been in the service of the railway for eleven years. His widow and family survive.

WILL ALTER LINER BELGENLAND SOON

Red Star Vessel to Be Fitted for Carrying 600 Tourist Third Class

SEATTLE, Feb. 6.—The most important addition to tourist accommodation to be offered this year will be made by the Belgenland, the de luxe 27,200-ton Red Star liner which now carries first, second, tourist third and third class, according to Mr. R. J. Griffiths, North Pacific Coast manager.

When this steamer returns from her fifth world cruise in April, it has been decided to do away with second class entirely and devote this entire section to tourist third cabin, affording accommodation of an unusually high type for 600 passengers. There will be staterooms with running hot and cold water, a completely equipped gymnasium, attractive children's playroom, electric elevators and veranda cafe.

RED CROSS LINE CHANGES HANDS

Furness, Withy & Company Take Over Nerissa, Sylvia and Rosalinde

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Sale of the Red Cross Line to Furness, Withy & Company, by the New York, Halifax & Newfoundland Steamship Company, was ratified today in London by shareholders of the latter company, cable advices received by local officials of Furness, Withy & Company announced.

The purchasers are arranging to take immediate possession of the Red Cross steamers Nerissa, Rosalinda and Sylvia, and the first New York sailing under the new ownership will be that of the Sylvia on Saturday.

The Furness, Withy Company purposed to launch a programme to increase the popularity of Nova Scotia and Newfoundland as tourist places.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS CLUB PROGRESSES

Secretary's Report at Annual Meeting of the Organization Shows Satisfactory Year's Record

At the annual meeting of the British Public Schools Club, held in the clubrooms on Langley Street, on Tuesday evening, Mr. Duncan B. McLaren presented his report.

Mr. D. B. McLaren, the secretary, thanked the club committee for their unremitting kindness and especially mentioned the names of Mr. C. C. Cooper and Mr. N. W. Pirrie.

SPORTING ACTIVITIES

The cricket team, he said, had some very enjoyable games last Summer, those played against the Navy arousing great interest among the members. Although the team had won the first match against H.M.S. Durban, they had lost the second of these matches, which was against the combined teams of H.M.S. Durban and H.M.S. Dispatch. Of the other four matches played during the year, two were won, one was lost and the other was drawn. Two particularly happy events in connection with the cricket season were the supplying of teas, at all matches, to spectators and players, which had been undertaken and carried out by the ladies, and the presentation by Colonel Harrison, D.S.O., president for the past year, who occupied the chair during the meeting, of a silver challenge shield for the junior cricketers of the University School on the occasion of their school sports day.

In relation to golf, continued Mr. McLaren, one tournament had been held, the prize for which was a silver challenge cup, presented by Captain Arthur Lane. The tournament had been won by Mr. A. V. Price, the runner-up being Major W. U. Pender. In referring to the lawn tennis club, the secretary said that it had played no matches outside the club, being in a sense a try-out. The experiment, however, had been a great success and the tennis club was expected to carry on next season. Thanks to the courtesy and energy of Mr. A. S. Averill, very good sport had been enjoyed on two grass courts on Rockland Avenue, and the annual meeting of the tennis club would be held shortly.

In speaking of the British public school boys who were touring Canada in the Fall of last year, Mr. McLaren said that the dinner and smoking concert had proved an outstanding success. A cricket match had been arranged and, although the boys had been beaten, they had given the members of the club a very good game. The annual dance, which took place at the Empress Hotel, was reported to have been the best which had so far been held. It was understood that the tennis club proposed to give a dance in the near future. In connection with the social activities of the club, Mr. McLaren paid a high tribute to the energetic work of Mr. W. Downes.

IN HOME QUARTERS

Speaking of the newly acquired premises on Langley Street, which have been bought by the Public Schools Club, Mr. McLaren said that the club was now in possession of its own property and at the mercy of no landlord, which was a matter for envy to other clubs which were endeavoring to obtain permanent locations, and he concluded by thanking the house committee, the activities of which might be gauged by a glance around the present clubrooms.

EMPRESS OF ASIA DUE ON SATURDAY

Included among the prominent passengers aboard R.M.S. Empress of Asia, Commander A. J. Hailey, is Mr. P. Boekstein, of the Netherlands Trading Company, Shanghai; Mr. H. E. Campbell, director of the Ilbert Company of Shanghai; M. Fuaraz, secretary of the French municipal council of Shanghai, accompanied by Mme. Fuaraz; Mr. D. M. Ross, manager of the Hong Kong-Shanghai Bank at Kobe; Mr. A. McDougall, Kobe banker; Mr. Kikeda, manager of the Japan Tea Agency at Shidzuoka; Mr. T. Onishi, Yokohama exporter, and Mr. J. Abbli, silk merchant.

The Empress of Asia is expected at William Head Quarantine Station from Yokohama at 8 o'clock on Saturday morning. For this port she has a light cargo and 1,680 bags of mail.

AFRICA DEPARTS FOR THE ORIENT

O.S.K. Liner Takes Out Fifty-Three Passengers and 8,993 Tons of Cargo

Arriving at Rithet piers from Seattle at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, the Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Africa Maru, Captain K. Komiya, sailed for Yokohama at 5 10.

The vessel's two first class and fifty-one third class passengers included four deportees under lock and key, one Japanese and four Koreans. The only passenger sailing from here was Mr. Toshiko Ode.

ALDERMAN FOR WAGE INCREASE

Police Force Members Hear Alderman Dewar on Salary Raise—Forty Attend Banquet

"My sincere wish is that your endeavors to get the Pension Act changed and to get an increase in your wages from the Police Commission will be successful," said Alderman R. A. C. Dewar at the annual banquet of the Victoria Police Federal Association No. 24, held in the recreation hall of the police station last night, at which some forty members of the force and guests were present. Constable Ben Acreman, president of the association, occupied the chair.

Magistrate George Jay related reminiscences of the earlier days with the local police department. Other speakers included Police Commissioners White and Staneland and Chief of Police John Fry, Chief Symes, of Oak Bay, and Chief Acreman, of Esquimalt, were among the invited guests.

Dancing followed the banquet.

AORANGI SAILS FOR ANTIPODES

BIG CANADIAN-AUSTRALASIAN ROYAL MAIL LINER TAKES OUT 320 PASSENGERS

Cargo Loaded at Rithet Piers Includes Shingles, Roofing Paper and Doors

With 200 first class passengers, sixty second and sixty third, the Canadian-Australasian Royal Mail liner Aorangi berthed at Rithet piers from Vancouver at 7.15 o'clock last evening, sailing for Honolulu and the Antipodes at 9 o'clock.

The vessel's 4,989-ton cargo included canned salmon, paper, box shooks, lumber and Canadian-made shoes. Cargo loaded here consisted of roofing paper, shingles and doors. Passengers boarding the ship included Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Sheret, Miss Margaret Sheret and Miss Kathleen Sheret.

When the liner reaches Auckland on February 25, Summer will be practically over in New South Wales, while Canadians are beginning to think of Spring. Several officers on the Aorangi saw snow for the first time when the ship arrived here from Honolulu on January 31.

Among those on board was Wing-Commander W. H. Anderson, D.F.C., R.A.A.F.; Dr. H. R. Freidlander, Dr. A. B. Sullivan, Dr. Rohrer, Dr. W. Worger, Dr. J. C. Parish, Miss Corinne Astle, Mr. Corwin B. Boggs, Miss Ann L. Broesamle, Mr. E. E. Brando, Mrs. W. A. Cantelon, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cowen, Mr. and Mrs. William Dowling, Mrs. J. C. Irons, wife of J. C. Irons, manager for British Columbia of the Canadian-Australasian Line; Mrs. G. H. Halse, wife of G. H. Halse, chairman of the board of directors of the British Columbia Telephone Company; Miss H. M. Gottschalk, Mr. H. M. Epstein and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. C. McCormick, Mr. W. Kotter, Miss Loyal Treat, Mr. H. E. P. Pettit, Mr. and Mrs. Muir Stewart and Mr. R. P. Marpole.

Nearly 1,000 bags of mail from Canada and the United States were loaded on the Aorangi. Part of the shipment was to have been placed aboard the Ss. Wilhelmina at San Francisco, but had to be diverted on account of the vessel not sailing.

"Mother, when the light goes out, where does it go?"

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GULF ISLANDS SERVICE

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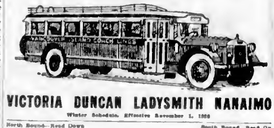

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*8 30	*3 00	10 15	Lv. VICTORIA Arr.	11 30	2 10	11 30
9 10	[illegible]	[illegible]	Brentwood	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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10 10	[illegible]	[illegible]	Cobble Hill	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
10 25	[illegible]	[illegible]	Cowichan Bay	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
10 45	[illegible]	[illegible]	Duncan	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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Commission of Anglican Church To Come Shortly

Announcement Is Made in Bishop's Charge to Diocesan Synod of Columbia—Progress Toward World Peace Outlined by His Lordship

The consecration of the new Christ Church Cathedral is already engaging the attention of the ecclesiastical authorities, Bishop Schofield told the Diocesan Synod at its meeting yesterday, when in the course of his charge, he outlined the steps already taken.

He announced the pending visit, early next month, of the commissioners appointed at the last Anglican General Synod to make a survey of the problems and needs of the church.

In the course of his charge the Bishop said:

KELLOGG PACT

"Perhaps the most remarkable occurrence of the year 1928 will prove to be the signing of the 'Kellogg Pact,' at Paris, on August 27. On that occasion, the representatives of seven nations—the number has since been doubled, I believe—solemnly declared on behalf of their principals that they renounced war as a national policy, and pledged themselves to seek arbitration in case of any dispute or conflict.

"While it has been explained that the agreement leaves every nation 'free at all times and regardless of treaty provisions to defend its territories from attack or invasion' and, every nation is itself to determine 'whether circumstances require recourse to war in self-defence or not'; yet, when the pact is regarded as a sequence to the Treaty of Locarno and the Covenant of the League of Nations it becomes a milestone in the 'emergent evolution' of international relationships; and another step forward in the winning of world peace.

"And now, lest anyone is fearful that we should become brethren too quickly, let us glance at the other side! So long as the evacuation of the Ruhr tarries; so long as the minority rule of a group of extremists not only controls Russia but persists in disturbing other countries; so long as China and India in their vastness have still to find a controlling centre in their respective new eras; so long as the United States and Great Britain fail to communicate with one another in a commonly understood language; so long, to use Premier Baldwin's apt phrase, as individuals are ready, while outgrowing apish tendencies, to indulge in the habits of the tiger—so long as all these conditions exist there will be work for everyone to do who wishes to aid in bettering the conditions in which men live. The summing up of these considerations is, let no one despair; but let no one fail to pursue personally and publicly the cause of peace and good will. 'When the world of nations declares for the outlawry of war, there has dawned a new day: but the day itself with its labors, its duties and its immeasureable opportunities lies before us. The pact of peace contains no magic potency. It will not enforce itself. It is an instrument to be used, not a goal of final accomplishment.'

CHRISTIAN UNION

"As one studies the various world religious movements there can be no doubt that the goal of a united Christian Church is forcing its way into the Christian consciousness as the one desirable thing. The Lausanne World Conference on 'Faith and Order' of 1927, preceded by the Stockholm Conference, was followed by an international missionary conference held in Jerusalem during 1928. All of these look one way—the way of unity—and each has its continuation committee to foster and develop the finding of the way; and all are determined to move in sympathy and co-operation. The English Church Congress of last Autumn centred about the same theme. The Church of South India—whose representatives pressed in 1920 for sympathetic consideration of their scheme of reunion—it is rumored, will send a delegation to Lambeth next year which cannot take 'no' for an answer.

"All signs point, then, to a conference of the Bishops next year of first-rate importance. While to the uninitiated it seems strange that the Church should lag so far behind in the general trend towards peace and unity—and in all conscience it is strange!—yet, experience has proved how difficult progress is in this field. Our whole communion should be constantly on its knees praying for guidance and courage for the Bishops; and, at the same time, our members should be considering the problem among themselves.

"And side by side with this Unity of Christendom for its own sake, because it is according to the will of God, there has loomed large of late another aspect of the situation.

"The Jerusalem Conference, already referred to, composed of representatives of the world's religions, has directed attention to what I mean.

NEW ATTITUDE OF MIND

"There has appeared among men, the Conference declares, a new attitude of mind. "It pervades all human society. It is found in every country, Christian and non-Christian alike; an attitude of mind, which owns allegiance to no creed, which refuses to be bound by any moral code at all, as such. This attitude of mind, though unorganized and without institutional form, is yet consistent and homogeneous throughout the world in its disintegrating effect upon every form of definite religious faith.

"Based as this new force seems to be in the marvelous conquest of nature by science and man's determined application upon the material plane, it bids fair to become the great antagonist of all religion. It is bringing into the full light of day the situation outlined by Gladstone long ago as he foresaw the time, when the forces of faith would be engaged with the forces of unfaith for the possession of mankind.

"For the moment this new attitude appears to be succeeding terribly in its quest. We have all felt its force, at least in its negative form, in the indifference to religious influences which manifests itself on every hand.

"That our cry must be 'Wake up, all who believe! Wake up, Christian Church!' cannot be doubted. And as we join battle, let us not fail to recognize that the fight of fights is on and that in this struggle only those who are in dead earnest will count. It is not impossible that in this new world, particularly here on the Pacific Coast, where the Orient and the Occident meet, we may find ourselves in the front line of the struggle. There is need, as we prepare for the contest, that we should pray that God who calls will make us worthy."

Prehistoric Dwelling Seen at Lake Bottom When Surface Frozen

CONSTANCE, Germany, Feb 6.—A hitherto unknown pile dwelling has been discovered by skaters on Lake Constance. The prehistoric find was a direct result of the cold wave, as the lower lake was frozen over, allowing thousands of skaters to enjoy themselves on the crystal clear ice. Through the ice they saw not only the prehistoric dwelling but a whole assortment of ancient beams and household implements.

At a cabaret dance a modern miss was talking to an old-fashioned man.

"Next week I'm going to Paris for some clothes," she said.

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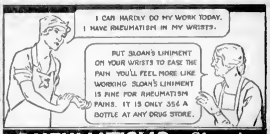
New Westminster School Destroyed In Early Morning

NEW WESTMINSTER, Feb. 6.—The sixteen-room Richard McBride School, Richmond and Hospital Streets, Sapperton, valued at $80,000, was totally destroyed by fire this morning. The blaze started at 8.45 o'clock, when no children were in the building.

As the school was in one of the highest parts of the city, and the reservoir was low, owing to the abnormal drain on it as the result of the cold weather, the firemen were almost powerless to fight the fire.



RHEUMATISM? Sloan's Liniment KILLS PAIN

Adventures in Arabia

—By W. B. SEABROOK—

CHAPTER XI (Continued)

It was nine o'clock in the evening when Dr. Dray and I mounted to the southern balcony, beneath the dome. The pavilion was brightly lighted from above by kerosene lamps. The dance-floor was empty save for a sheepskin dyed brilliant red, which was laid in front of the mihrab (niche) in the southern wall beneath us, indicating the direction of Mecca. The orchestra was already seated, on a level with us, in the balcony at our right—reed-flute, zither, drum, and a singer—in their tall brown hats and robes of the same color.

Directly opposite in the north balcony, but behind a latticed screen, were five women, white-robed and veiled. Except for the briefest glimpses of their eyes as they occasionally drew aside the corner of the veil to look at us, we could see nothing of their features, but I got the impression that one was old, and that three of them, at least, were young and possibly beautiful. They were the wives and a sister of the Melewi and his brother.

In complete silence, twelve Dervishes entered, in solemn procession, single file, with their tall brown hats and long black mantles—barefooted, heads bowed forward, with arms crossed on their breasts, each hand clasped to the opposite shoulder. They disposed themselves in two rows, seated on their heels, right and left, facing each other, heads still bowed.

A thirteenth Dervish entered and seated himself in the middle of the dance-floor, facing south toward the red sheepskin and the niche beneath us. He was the Sema Zan or elder, who would act as master of ceremonies. His cloak was brown, like those of the musicians. Black is worn only by the dancers.

Some were short-bearded; others clean-shaven. They ranged in age from past fifty to one or two youths who seemed under twenty. They kept their heads bowed and their eyes almost closed.

When the Sheik el Melewi entered and sat upon the sheepskin, they made no salutation, but remained silent, motionless. His robe was pale grey, of glistening, fine texture. His hat was taller than the rest, wound at the base with a great ceremonial green turban.

The ritual began with a mystic hymn followed by the orthodox Fatiha in praise of Allah and with special prayers which named the Chelebi, Jelal-ed-Din, and Mohamet.

The musicians then began a slow march, in retarded four-four tempo. The sheik, who had risen, stepped forward off the sheepskin, turned, and made two profound bows, one from the right and one from the left, toward the spot he had quitted. This was to invite the spiritual presence of Jelal-ed-Din, founder of the order.

He then returned to stand on the sheepskin, while the Dervishes arose, one at a time, and with a space of some five feet between them, began a slow circling march around the dance-floor. Passing before the sheik, each Dervish bowed to him, and then turned to bow to the Dervish who followed in the procession. They circled the floor three times.

The tempo of the music changed to a weird rhythm I could not follow, while the reed-flute began a soaring melody. The march ceased. The Sema Zan divested the Dervishes, one by one, of their long black cloaks, revealing the voluminous tesseri (skirts) which dropped to their bare ankles. These skirts were tight-fitting at the waists and wound tighter still with girdles, above which they wore short-waisted jackets of various dark colors, with long, tight sleeves.

The Dervish whose robe had first been discarded came and stood before the sheik, with his right great toe crossed over his left, and with arms still folded. He made a profound obeisance and kissed the sheik's hand. The sheik then touched his own lips to the Dervish's hat. The music had again changed. The flute still sustained a singing melody, backed by the sweeping harmonies of the many-stringed zither; but the drum began a steady, unaccented tomtom beat, in one-one tempo.

And now the single Dervish began slowly the zikr, or turning. He drooped his head on his left shoulder, closed his eyes, and balancing on the left heel as an axis, communicated the rotary motion with his right foot, keeping both feet close together. The whirling was at first very slow, but gradually increased in speed, while his arms seemed to unfold and stretch out automatically, until the right was horizontal from shoulder to elbow, bent vertically upward at the elbow, the hand bent backward, palm up; while the left arm stretched straight horizontally palm down. As the speed increased, the skirt unfolded, ballooning upward and outward, until it whirled in a great circle almost waist-high above the baggy white drawers.

One after another the twelve men went through this ritual until all were whirling, save the sheik himself and the Sema Zan.

Even when they had attained their full momentum, they did not whirl at equal speeds. The revolutions varied from sixty-four per minute to about thirty. The average was around fifty, almost one complete revolution per second. Their bodies were rigid. They spun like tops which had "gone to sleep." Their faces were calm, expressionless. There was no questioning the fact that they passed actually into a trance—into a state of hal, as they name it technically.

At the end of eleven minutes, the Sema Zan arose and stamped vigorously on the floor—evidently a signal to stop. But only two of the dancers heard it, and he had to clap his hands and stamp again loudly, as if to awaken people from a deep sleep, before all heeded him and became stationary. They did not wobble as dizzy men would, but stood motionless as statues, heads bowed forward and arms crossed again on their breasts.

Slowly they marched three times round the tekkeh floor, and as each passed the sheik the third time he again began whirling. On this second occasion they whirled for nineteen minutes. When the third, final signal came to stop, they sank to the floor and remained seated while the Sema Zan went from one to another, replacing the black mantles on their shoulders. They were still like men in a dream.

The music ceased, and in the silence came the deep voice of the Sheik el Melewi:

"The man of God is exalted without wine.

"The man of God is beyond good and beyond evil.

"The man of God is beyond religion and beyond fidelity.

"The man of God has ridden away to the place where all is One."

And I realised that here, even more than in the words he had spoken to me that afternoon, lay a key to the deep inner secret of the Dervish faith. It was pure pantheism, in its most daring and advanced form. To these exalted souls, God was neither Father, Master, nor Judge. God was life itself. And to each of them, when he made himself one with all life through the ecstatic vision, the secret hundredth name of God was "I."

I went to sleep thinking about this, and the next day when the Melewi asked how the ceremony had impressed me, I told him my thoughts unreservedly.

His face was sterner and more serious than I had ever seen it. He lifted a solemn, warning hand.

"Beware, my son. Deep peril lies here, and destruction for weak minds. The fool, when blinded by an illumination too great for his understanding, cries out 'I am God!' and is destroyed for his blasphemy. Yet man may say without fear: 'God is I.'" And he quoted Jelal-ed-Din, who had written "When men imagine they are adoring Allah, it is Allah who is adoring himself."

Then, softening in expression, he told me of a mystic vision he had experienced personally and which, he considered, had contained both truth and deadly danger. He had seemed to be climbing a mountaintop in search of God and had come at last to a great white throne, but dared not look upon the face of Him who sat there. "Dare to lift up your eyes!" cried a voice. He lifted up his eyes, and the face which he beheld was—his own.

I began to feel that the things I had heard about the Sheik el Melewi from native Arabs who considered him a holy man were in a very deep sense true. And I reflected that, proud and dangerous as the Melewi doctrine seemed, it was not so very far removed from that of the Christian mystic who proclaims that no man can find God except in his own heart.

(To be Continued)

BILL TO RATIFY RAILWAY PACT

To Give $80,000 to West Vancouver in Return for Lifting of P.G.E. Obligation

For the purpose of ratifying an agreement between West Vancouver and the Railway Board of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway, Premier S. F. Tolmie introduced into the Legislature yesterday afternoon a bill setting out the terms on which the railway company was allowed to discontinue the railway service upon the North Shore district line. The bill got as far as the first reading.

The railway board deems it advisable to discontinue this service, and also to relieve the railway of the obligation of receiving traffic of any nature on the North Shore line.

In order to carry out its recommendations the railway board entered into an agreement with the municipality of West Vancouver whereby in return for $80,000 to be given the municipality for road purposes it would be relieved of its obligations in connection with the North Shore line.

West Vancouver must, however, reconstruct, widen and improve the highway known as the Marine Drive from the Capilano Bridge westerly for a distance of four miles and remove the present Capilano bridge and replace it with a new highway bridge.

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Vancouver Island News

CLUB ENDORSES NEW GAME ACT

CUMBERLAND SPORTSMEN IN FAVOR OF NEW AMENDMENTS

Want Open Seasons for Willow Grouse and Doe Deer and Salmon Roe Bait

CUMBERLAND, Feb. 5.—The annual general meeting of the Cumberland Rod and Gun Club held on Sunday in the Memorial Hall attracted a large number of the members. The president, Mr. W Williams, was in the chair, opening the proceedings by stating that he was pleased to see such a wonderful turnout of the members. The secretary's financial statement showed that the club had a balance in the bank of $56.50, and, after a review of the past year's activities had been read, the report was adopted as presented.

In the election of officers the members showed a keen interest, with the following result: Honorary president, Mr. Harry Maynard, Victoria; honorary vice-presidents, Mr. Thomas Graham and Dr. G W MacNaughton, M.P.P., Cumberland; president, Mayor Alex. Maxwell; vice-president, Mr. Joe Horbury; secretary, Mr J. L. Brown; treasurer, Mr R. Coe; executive committee, Messrs. W. Williams, V. Frelone, D Wilson, W Mossey, R James, Joe Reece, J. H. Cameron, H Strachan, Jack Horbury, Fraser Watson, R. Struthers, Fred Martin, W. Gordon and J Rags.

Mr. R. (Scatter Gun) Coe asked for and was granted the co-operation of the club in an endeavor to revive the gun club, suitable grounds having been secured and other assistance promised.

The secretary was instructed to provide Mr. Gordon, the editor of The Guide Book, with all available information and to place an order for fifty copies of The Guide.

In accordance with the report of the secretary of the British Columbia Fish and Game Protective Association the question of the pollution of angling waters was thoroughly discussed by the meeting, which went on record as favoring a campaign to prevent all campers and others from throwing tin cans and other rubbish into streams and lakes. These and such materials as sewage and refuse from canneries, they claim, extract oxygen from the waters and make life in them impossible.

The meeting also went on record as objecting to the abolition of salmon roe for bait and asked that the streams and lakes in the Comox electoral district be left open as in former years.

After considerable discussion the club recommended that the opening hour for duck shooting be one hour before sunrise, also that the bag limit on deer be three and that the season be opened for does. It was also recommended that on account of willow grouse being plentiful in this district the season be open from October 15 to November 15.

The meeting also went on record as favoring the proposed changes to the Game Act, as outlined by Attorney-General Pooley.

The secretary, Mr J. L. Brown, was elected delegate to the annual meeting of the British Columbia Fish and Game Protective Association, Mr J H Cameron being elected as substitute.

Just before the meeting closed all the retiring officers were thanked very warmly for their good work during the past season.

Had 17 Boils On His Neck Arms and Legs

Mr. A. L. Willos, Sapton, Man., writes:—"I had been bothered with boils for about two years. I had seventeen on my neck, arms and legs. I tried all kinds of medicine, but none of them seemed to help me any. I then used two bottles of

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NANAIMO BOWLING

Laundrymen Take Three Points From Marine Three Stars

NANAIMO, Feb. 5.—In last evening's bowling fixture on the Nanaimo Club alleys the Imperial Laundry took the three points from the Marine Three Stars. Fred Botley was in excellent form with a game of 217, and also high aggregate with 545. The scores were:

MARINE THREE STARS

C. McArthur	168	131	163	462
C. Carr	160	142	123	425
J. McGregor	136	137	180	453
C. Baker	146	160	142	442
J. Freer	143	115	139	397
Team total				2,179

IMPERIAL LAUNDRY

P. Botley	190	144	211	545
T. Naylor	167	158	177	502
E. Harris	136	111	152	399
R. Waugh	176	139	142	457
J. Sandland	163	137	141	441
Team total				2,344

DIES OF PNEUMONIA

NANAIMO, Feb 5.—The death occurred at Nanaimo Hospital this morning of Charles Drake, native of this city, fifty-two years of age. Death was due to pneumonia. Deceased lived in the Yukon from 1900 to 1919 and was a partner with David Mottishaw in the Nanaimo Poolroom.

COUNCIL HOLDS FIRST MEETING

POLICE SUPERINTENDENT ASKS FOR REVIEW OF AGREEMENT

Water Department Kept Busy Thawing Pipes—Councillors to Inspect Electrical System

COURTENAY, Feb. 5.—The first meeting of the new council was held in the City Hall on Monday night, when all members were present. A letter from J. H McMullen, superintendent of Provincial Police, pointed out that owing to present arrangements, whereby the city is policed by the province, including a night patrol, the service was at a very low cost to the city; and suggested that this city be put on at last the same basis as that of Ladysmith. Mayor Pearse, in referring to the existing agreement with the Provincial Police, drew attention to the fact that this agreement was automatically in force until the end of the present year. The communication was referred to the finance committee, with instructions to report back to the council.

A letter from the Comox Agricultural Society, containing the information that the Fall Fair prize list is now being prepared for the printer, and asking for a grant towards the annual exhibition, received favorable consideration, the sum of $100 being voted the association.

In response to recommendations of the old council, that the 1929 council consider the matter of changing the city's bank account from the Canadian Bank of Commerce to the Royal Bank of Canada, the managers of both local branches were in attendance and were invited to address the council. After listening to the bankers, however, it was decided to keep the city's account in the Bank of Commerce.

SLIGHT DISTURBANCE

Alderman MacIntyre, for the electric light committee, reported a slight disturbance on Friday evening when a pheasant, flying into the wires on the Lake Trail Road had caused a short circuit. The line had been quickly repaired, however. He said that there was much credit due the waterworks committee, which had done wonders during the last week under severe weather conditions, and the city should feel very grateful to the men in the department. In spite of the severity of the weather there had been very little real inconvenience.

Alderman Ball, as chairman of the water committee, said that the department had been busy thawing out water pipes at many points in the city. The grading down of streets in some places had brought the water mains within a foot or two of the surface. Much of the freezing up had taken place at the connection to the mains on property lines, and he thought that the city might be partly responsible so had employed the method of thawing out by electricity in co-operation with the electrical department. He had visited Brown's River on Sunday, when there had been eight inches of ice over the intake, and members of his family had taken advantage of the good skating available.

The fire chief, Mr. J. Thomson, had been taking a very consistent interest in the situation since the arrival of the cold weather. It was now possible, he reported, to drive right into the intake on account of the improved condition of the road. There was now a full supply of water, after a temporary check, owing to ice and snow forming at the intake. The city clerk pointed out the difficulty of thawing out the water mains owing to their being constructed of wood, which is a non-conductor.

Alderman Brown, chairman of the works department, said that so far, owing to the weather, his job had been very easy. He had, however, made a tour of the city, in company with Mr. Swan. He now proposed to advertise in the local press for a thoroughly capable foreman to take full charge and to report to the works committee. He would prefer a man able to handle any of the trucks if necessary. This action is to be taken up, and the matter is to be further considered by the council. Alderman Brown asked for a vote of $500 with which to carry on his department until such time as the city's estimates are compiled. The sum was duly voted.

Alderman Fielder, for the sanitary committee, said that owing to the freeze-up, the sanitary conditions of the city were never better. For the fire committee, Alderman Kirk reported no fires. A small heating stove had been installed in the fire hall.

ROAD DELEGATION

The Mayor reminded the council of the delegation to Victoria in connection with the continuation of the construction of the road from Campbell River to Menzies Bay. This delegation, consisting of the Mayor, Mr. R. U. Hurford and Mr. J. N. McLeod, was to see the Minister of Public Works on Friday. It was hoped that other members of the council would find it possible to accompany those going.

Alderman MacIntyre extended an invitation to all members of the council to accompany the electrical utilities committe and the city clerk on a tour of inspection of the whole electrical system, as he thought all the aldermen should be conversant with the city's utilities. The tour is to be made as soon as the weather moderates.

Burgess Bedtime Stories

Spooky Tries to Bluff

By THORNTON W BURGESS

Spooky the Screech Owl is a little fellow. He is smaller, much smaller, than he looks to be. You see, his feathers are very fluffy and he keeps them fluffed out. If you could see him without any feathers at all, you would be surprised to see how little he is.

Spooky is not a coward. He may be afraid, very much afraid, but if he is, he doesn't show it. Instead, he tries to make you afraid. He bluffs. Yes, sir, that is just what he does. He pretends to be very fierce and savage. He glares as only an owl can glare. He snaps his bill and sometimes hisses, and he strikes with his big, sharp claws.

Spooky was a prisoner in Farmer Brown's grain bin in the barn. He was a badly frightened prisoner. He had flown down in there to catch a young rat and the lid had fallen. For a while he forgot the young rat. But presently when nothing happened, Spooky remembered the young rat. "I may as well have a good meal anyway," thought he, and proceeded to eat the young rat. He had swallowed all but the tail. The tail was hanging from one corner of his mouth when he heard a sound outside the grain bin. Spooky's heart gave a bound. He knew that sound. Footsteps were approaching.

Now, Spooky had planned that the instant that lid should be lifted, he would fly out. But it is one thing to plan and another thing to do what you have planned. The lid of that grain bin was thrown open suddenly and it let light in with a rush. It was all so unexpected that all Spooky could do was to blink. You see, he couldn't adjust his eyes to the light so quickly. So, of course, he didn't fly out. Farmer Brown's Boy saw Spooky at once. Such a funny look as there was on the face of Farmer Brown's Boy.

"Well, well, well!" exclaimed Farmer Brown's Boy. "Just see who's here! What are you doing in the grain bin, and how under the sun did you get caught?"

Just then Farmer Brown's Boy saw the tail of a rat hanging from Spooky's mouth. He chuckled when he saw this. "So that's it!" said he. "You saw that young rat in here and you couldn't resist the temptation. It must be that I left the lid open. I wonder who closed it. Well, seeing you're here, I think I'll take you out."

Of course, he wondered what Farmer Brown's Boy was going to do with him

Farmer Brown's Boy reached in for Spooky. Spooky started to fly, but couldn't get past the arm of Farmer Brown's Boy. He dropped back. Then he tried to bluff. He fluffed out all his feathers just as Black Pussy raises the hair on her tail when she is frightened or angry. He put his head down and half raised his wings. He glared with those yellow eyes of his, as only an Owl can glare. He looked surprisingly fierce for one so small. He snapped his bill warningly. He hissed. Altogether, he made a very fierce appearance.

Farmer Brown's Boy just laughed. "Stop your bluffing, Spooky," said he. "You know very well you can't scare an old friend like me. I'm just going to take you right out of here."

Farmer Brown's Boy moved his hand quickly. Spooky struck at it, but he didn't touch it. And then Farmer Brown's Boy had him pinning his wings to his sides and holding him so that he could not use those big, sharp claws. Spooky was helpless. He was very, very angry. But after Farmer Brown's Boy stroked him a bit, he felt better. Of course, he wondered what Farmer Brown's Boy was going to do with him. I suspect you are wondering too. Well, for a few minutes, Farmer Brown's Boy wondered himself.

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The next story: "What Farmer Brown's Boy Did With Spooky."

CHURCH MEETING HELD AT QUALICUM

Officers of St. Mark's Are Elected for Year—Votes of Thanks

QUALICUM BEACH, Feb. 5.—The annual meeting of Saint Mark's Church was held on February 3, when the following members were present: Rev. C. H. Popham, Colonel Playfair, M. P. H Buller, Mr. A. Keel, Mrs. C. Davidson, Mrs. A. Playfair, Miss A. Sanders, Mrs. G. Page, Mrs. P N. Jackson and Mrs G. Aldous. Colonel Playfair read the minutes of the last meeting and the financial statement, which was found very satisfactory. The officers of the old committee were re-elected for this year: Mr. P H Buller, vicar's warden; Colonel Playfair, people's warden, and the members of the church committee.

A vote of thanks for those who had helped in the church work was given, Miss A Sanders and Mrs. Robbins for their work in the Sunday school, Miss Sanders and Mrs. C. Davidson as organists, Colonel Playfair for taking the extra services, the Guild for its financial help, and Mr. E W. Thwaits for acting as auditor.

Mrs. Gertrude Gibson Dies at Cumberland

CUMBERLAND, Feb. 5. — Mrs. Gertrude Gibson, of Cumberland, died today in the Cumberland General Hospital after a short illness. Her husband predeceased her a few years ago, being killed in an explosion at No 4 mine. The deceased was well known throughout the district, having resided here for a number of years. She leaves a family of six, three sons and three daughters. Five live at home in Cumberland and one son, Robert, married, resides in Nanaimo. Funeral arrangements have not yet been completed.

Royal Oak Badminton

ROYAL OAK, Feb 6.—The finals in the Royal Oak badminton tournament were played on Saturday evening with seven couples taking part. The prize winners were Miss Betty Little and Mr Gordon Massey. The games were watched by many enthusiastic onlookers.

The Badminton Club dance, which will be held on Wednesday evening, at Royal Oak Hall, is looked forward to, and an enjoyable time is anticipated. A good orchestra will be in attendance and dancing will begin at 9 o'clock. Several novelties will be put on for the entertainment of the guests.

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FARMERS' INSTITUTE MEETS AT QUALICUM

Arrange for Lecture on Sea Beach—Presentation Made to Secretary, G. H. Aldous

QUALICUM BEACH, Feb. 5.—The Qualicum District Farmers' Institute held its monthly meeting in the Community Hall on Monday. There were present, Messrs. F N. Whitmee, W. C. Garritt, J. Silman, R. T. Lewis, T Hill, J. W. Pomroy, G. Mant, J. Walker, H. Sawyer, P. Rocket, A Miller, H Ponsford and G. H. Aldous. After the usual business, correspondence was read, which brought up interesting topics. A lecture will be given on February 22 on "The Sea Beach at Ebb Tide," with lantern slides. It was decided to write the Field Crop Branch concerning a new variety of early potatoes, and arrangements made to secure suitable seed potatoes.

The pruning school will be postponed until the weather is more suitable. The new social committee was appointed. The new secretary, Mr. J. Pomroy, made a very good impression at his first meeting, and gave a most interesting address on the new ideas on fertilization following the study and experiments made in Germany and other countries.

The president then made a presentation to G. H. Aldous from the directors and members of the Institute as a token of their sincere appreciation of his long term as secretary.

Refreshments were provided by the president.

NANAIMO WATER PRESSURE GOOD

Opening Taps to Prevent Freezing No Handicap to Fire Fighting, Says Alderman

NANAIMO, Feb. 5.—At the Council meeting last evening Alderman Hart intimated that, as chairman of the water committee last year, he intended to work from the body of the Council chambers, intimating that last year when he had given orders, he had not been obeyed by certain people employed at the dam.

The question came up following a report of the fire chief, in which it was shown that during January the brigade had responded to seven alarms of fires from which damage to the extent of $3,970 had resulted. Alderman Smith moved that a notice be inserted in the papers requesting householders to turn off their taps when the fire alarm is sounded, as he believed that with the cold weather causing so many taps to be opened, the pressure is affected and serious fire losses might result. The motion was seconded, but before being voted upon, Alderman Hart said it was not necessary.

He maintained that there is a full head of pressure at the dam now with all taps now. Besides, he said, comparatively few people would hear the alarm, and those who did and turned off their taps would not materially affect the pressure and ran the risk of freezing their pipes. The motion, however, carried and Mayor Busby, while on the subject of water, asked as to conditions at the dam. Alderman Hart replied that the water was well up, and that at No. 2 it was within two inches of overflowing. Some vital valves, however, were buried in two feet of snow, and Alderman Hart said they should have been cleared and a road leading to them if a man wished to get at them quickly in case of an emergency.

Public Works Superintendent Shepherd reported an expenditure during the past week on streets of $297.28 and on waterworks, $16.50.

On motion of Alderman Hart, seconded by Alderman Barsby, Alderman Ironside was appointed for one year as the Council's representative on the Library Board, and Messrs. G. Cavalsky and W Wilkes for a term of two years.

Lad Badly Hurt in Sleighing Accident On Nanaimo Street

NANAIMO, Feb. 5.—When his sleigh collided with a telegraph pole at the foot of Eighth Street, Raymond Harris, fourteen, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Harris, of Newcastle Townsite, sustained a broken rib and painful bruises. Following receipt of a report of the streets committee, which stated that no action was taken last week on setting aside a street for sleighing, owing to this being considered illegal, and the city would be liable for damages for accidents, the City Council last night decided to prepare a by-law for allotting certain streets for sleighing.

Buried at Cumberland

CUMBERLAND, Feb 6. — The funeral of John Gordon Pulcher, of Union Bay, took place on Sunday from the undertaking parlors of T. E. Banks, of this city. The deceased was in his nineteenth year and had been an invalid practically all his life. The funeral was conducted by Rev J Hobbins, of Union Bay, interment taking place in the Cumberland cemetery. The pallbearers, all friends of the family, were Messrs. E T Searle, A Matthewson, Pete Reid, A. H. Kay, Ed. Hughes and A. S Jones.

Fur Trade Uses Cargo Airplanes From Athabaska

EDMONTON, Feb. 6.—A special to The Journal from Waterways, states:

"Two hours and forty minutes after taking off at Fort Resolution with two passengers, a mechanic and 800 pounds of fur, "Punch" Dickens landed at Waterways at 4 20 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

"Dickens left Waterways at 9 20 Tuesday morning with ten sacks of mail, thus making the return trip within seven hours. He again left McMurray at 5 16 for Resolution."

UCLUELET HAS RARE VISITORS

WILD SWANS ARE WINTERING ON KENNEDY RIVER

Three Timber Wolves Secured by Trapper — Indian Gets Albino Otter

UCLUELET, Feb. 5.—Travelers passing up and down Kennedy River are very much interested in a flock of wild swans that are wintering there. Some years ago two of these much-protected birds located in Ucluelet harbor for some months, but, as far as is known locally, these are the only swans to have sojourned in this district for many years.

One of the West Coast Indian trappers had a unique experience recently when he was successful in trapping a pure white land otter. Some ten years ago a similar freak otter was trapped near Pachena Point on the West Coast.

The old-time menace to livestock, the timber wolf, which preyed on the cattle of the early settlers on the West Coast, was thought to be almost extinct on Vancouver Island, but three having been trapped recently is evidence that there are still wolves living in the interior of the Island. The catch consisted of two grey females and one very black male, all of exceptional size and with prime pelts.

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FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

STATEMENT OF FEDERAL BOARD CAUSES SLUMP

Board Declares Flatly That Use of Federal Reserve Credit Must Be Diverted to Productive Business

PARTIAL RECOVERY MADE NEAR CLOSE

NEW YORK, Feb 6.—The knowledge that the Federal Reserve Board would issue a statement on the credit situation after the close of the session hung over the stock market like a dark cloud today, casting a deep shadow over a number of favorable news developments.

Short covering and a drop in the call money rate to 6 per cent for the first time in a week caused fairly general recoveries of 2 to 6 points from the lowest prices of the day in the final tradings.

The Reserve Board's statement, which pointed to the new high total of brokers' loans and declared flatly that the use of Federal Reserve credit must be restrained, was even more jaring to speculative confidence than had been expected. The board declared that credit must be liberated to safeguard business.

United States Realty was a conspicuous strong point, selling up 11 to a new top on announcement of its plan to finance real estate projects entirely through stock. Federal Light & Traction and Rock Island sold up about 3 points on the increased dividends, but the latter reacted.

Wright Aero, which touched 299 yesterday, fell to 280 today and closed at 283. Radio dropped 12 to 384 and closed at 389.

Allis Chalmers, Barnsdall "B" commercial solvents, Curtiss Aero, American International, General Electric, International Telephone, Johns Manville, National Biscuit and Western Union sold off 4 to 6 points down. Motor shares sagged generally.

Total sales, 4,680,500 shares.

Foreign exchanges generally improved, in response to the gain of about quarter of a cent in sterling, which carried the cable rate above $4.85.

Prices swung lower in today's bond market and trading was again dull.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Foreign exchanges steady.
France—3.90½; cables 3.90⅝.
Italy—5.23½; cables 5.23½.
Belgium—13.89.
Germany—23.72.
Holland—40.01½.
Norway—26.23½.
Sweden—26.73.
Denmark—26.64½.
Switzerland—19.23⅛.
Spain—15.94.
Poland—1125.
Czechoslovakia—2.96.
Jugoslavia—1.76.
Austria—1406.
Rumania—60½.
Argentina—42.16⅜.
Brazil—11.92.
Tokio—45.45.
Shanghai—62.90.
Montreal—99.75.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Demand 484⅞; cables 485⅛; sixty-day bills on banks 480⅝.

AT VICTORIA

Buying 483, selling 486.

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	High	Low	Close
Allied Chem	291	291	291
Amerada Corpn.	34	33-2	33-4
Am Can	114-7	113-3	113-1
Am. Car & Fdy	98 6	96-6	96 2
Am For Power	100	96-4	96-6
Am Locomotive	119-1	106-4	108-4
Am Smelters	121-7	117-4	118
Am. Steel Fdy	76-6	73-6	74-4
Am Sugar	96-4	90-7	90-2
Am Sum Tob	49 4	48-4	48-4
Am Tobacco B	182-6	183 6	183 6
Am Woolens	35-1	33-1	35-1
Anaconda	130-7	127-7	128-5
Armour 'A'	17-4	16 6	16-6
Asso Dry Goods	64-4	62-4	63 2
Atlantic Gulf	35-6	35-4	35-4
Atlantic Refinery	57-7	56 6	57-2
Atchison	204-6	201	201
Baltimore & Ohio	127-1	125-2	126
Bassar & Arctic	66-6	66-7	66-7
Barnsdall "A"	43 2	42 1	42-5
Bethlehem Steel	92-3	89-6	91-2
Brooklyn Manhat	77	76	76-2
California Packing	79-3	76-1	76-1
Calumet & Aris	132	132	132
Calumet & Hecla	184	182	183
Canada Dry Ginger	84	81-5	82
Canadian Pacific	250-2	243	250-2
Cerro De Pasco	114-2	110-4	110-6
Certainteed Prod	24-2	24	24
Chesapeake & Ohio	220-2	219-2	219-2
Chile Copper	96	92	94-7
Chic Gt Western	22-4	21	21
Chic, Mil & St P	38 2	37-4	37-4
Chic & Northwest	93-7	90-1	92
Chic., R I & Pac	137-2	134	136
Chrysler Motor	114-5	109-4	111-2
Coca Cola	138-7	136-7	138-7
Congoleum Nairn	31-4	30-1	31
Colo Fuel & Iron	76	70-4	73
Columbia Gas	153	150-4	152
Cal Graphophone Co	78-4	74-4	76-6
Cons Gas	114	114-1	112 4
Cont Motor	24-5	23	24
Corn Products	99 7	98	98
Crucible Steel	91-3	90	90
Curtiss Aero	173	161	168
Davison Chemical	66-7	64-4	65
Dupont Powder	184-7	181-4	184
Eastman Kodak	183	181	181-4
Elec Power	81-7	80-1	80-4
Elec Storage Battery	90	88-2	88-3
Erie	73	66-6	76-4
Famous Players	66-7	64-7	64-7
Foundation Co.	44	43	44
Fox Film "A"	88	88-1	83-7
Fleischmann Co	78-3	76-3	77-4
Freeport, Texas	51-6	50-6	50-2
Ford Motors	17 4	17-2	17-2
Gardner Motors	16-6	15-6	14 4
Gabriel Snubbers	23-2	21 4	21 4
General Am Tank	94	95-2	96-4
General Asphalt	72-2	73	73
General Electric	250	246-2	248
General Motors	84-4	81 7	84
General Ry Signal	105	103 4	103-7
Gold Dust	77 7	74-2	74
Goodrich Rubber	87-2	85-4	86-7
Graham-Paige	48 3	47-5	48-4
Granby	84	81-1	81-4
Great Northern Ore	25-7	24 1	24-7
Great Northern pfd	109-3	106-3	109-3
Gt. West Sugar	36 4	36 4	36-4
Greene Cananea	183 4	175-4	179-1
Gulf States Steel	74-4	73-6	73-4
Hahn Dept Stors	42-4	51-4	42-3
Houston Oil	93	83	83
Hone Sound	78 1	74 2	74-2
Hudson Motor	88 6	86-2	87-6
Hupp Motors	72	76-4	76-7
Illinois Central	144	140	144
Inspiration	41 7	40	41-4
Int Cement	87	85 4	85-7
Int Comb Eng	88 2	86	88
Int Harvester	108-2	107 3	107-4
Int Match pfd	84-2	83-2	83-1
Int Paper	77-4	77-2	77-4
Int Pete	38	38	38
Int Nickel	86-4	83 4	83-4
Int Tel & Tel	210 7	212	217-7
Johns Manville	234	224	230
Kan City South	92-7	91 7	92-4
Kelsinator	14 2	18	18-2
Kennecott Copper	154 3	150	151 2
Kolster Radio	44	41	40
Lehigh Valley	94 7	86 6	96 6
Mack Truck	114 6	110 1	110 1
Marland Oil	38-6	37 4	37-6
Maytag Co	42-3	43-2	34-2
Mid. Cont'l Pete	32 7	32	32
Miss. Pacific	74	73 4	73-4
Miss. Pacific pfd	131-6	130 1	130-1
Montgomery Ward	139 4	136-3	137 4
Nash Motors	112 4	109-4	112-4
National Biscuit	193	182	192
National Cash Reg	134	130 4	131 5
National Dairy Prod	144	130-2	121-2
Nat Power & Light	23 7	52-6	48
N Y Air Brake	48-4	46 6	48 4
Norfolk & West	200	200	200
North American	103	99-6	101-4
Northern Pacific	111-2	111 2	111-6
N Y Central	199 4	187 4	187-4
N Y, N H & Hart	95 4	92 6	96
N Y, Ont & West	30 4	30 4	29-4
Packard Motor	143 7	138-4	139-2
Pan American B	43 4	42-2	42-4
Pathe com	12	12	12
Pennsylvania R R	80-7	78 5	78-7
Phillips Pete	38-1	36 2	34-2
Pierce Arrow	34	23-6	28 5
Postum Co	75	72-4	74-2
Producers & Ref	30-4	30-3	30-3
Public Ser of N J	98-2	97-6	96
Pullman Co	86 1	85	85
Radio	394	380-4	380
Reading	114	110-2	111-4
Reo Motors	28-4	28	28
Rep Iron & Steel	51-4	48 2	51-2
Schulte	37	34 4	35-2
Sears Roebuck	164 4	162 1	162-4
Shattuck-Denn	22 2	22 4	22-4
Shell Union	26-7	26-4	26-5
Simmons Co	116	109-1	110 1
Sinclair Cons	38-2	37-6	38 4
S Cal Edison	83 1	82-2	83-2
Southern Pacific	125-4	122	124
Southern Railway	154-7	152	154
Standard Mill	135	124-4	124
Standard Gas	84 2	82-4	82 4
Standard Oil Cal	67 4	67-4	67 6
Standard Oil N J	54	50 4	50
Standard Oil N Y	41-1	40-4	40-7
Standard Oil Ind	103	102	102
Stewart Warner	140 4	137 4	137 4
St Louis & S Fran	120 6	124	130
Stromberg Carb	85 4	84 4	84-4
Studebaker	85-6	82 4	84
Texas Co	86 4	86	86
Texas Gulf Sulphur	82 2	80 1	80 4
Tobacco Prod	87	86 4	86-4
Uni Aviation	86-4	85	85
Union Oil of Cal	51	50-2	50-4
Union Pacific	230 4	228	227-6
U S Cast I Pipe	42-6	42	42 4
U S Ind Alco	143	147 4	146-4
U S Rubber	51 7	48 4	50-4
U S Ind Alco	152	147-4	149-4
U S Rubber	51-7	46 4	50 6
U S Steel	184 4	176-4	181-4
Underwood Type	116 3	118	118
Union Carbide	236 4	220	231 4
Util Power & Light	46	44-4	44 4
Vacuum Oil	122	121	122
Vanadium	114-6	106	113-2
Victor Talk Mach	150 4	152 4	164-4
Wabash	74 2	74-2	74 2
Westing Air Brake	48	42	48
Westing Elec	153 4	150 4	150 1
White Motor	51 7	50	51
Willys Overland	31-4	31	31
Woolworth	208	206 2	206 4
Wright Aer Cpn	296	280	284
Yale Towne	86 2	86	84 4
Youngstown Sh & Tu	118 4	110 4	110 2
Yel Trk & Coach	40 7	39-6	39-5

Calgary Oil Stocks

(Supplied by H. B. Bunnings & Co., Ltd.)

	Sales	High	Low	Close
Alta. P Cons	3,000	70	6.	68
Brit Dom	1,100	62	61	61
Calmont	1,400	74	65	65
Dalhousie	585	1 75	1 65	1 66
Devenish	275	45	46	45
Illinois Alta.	1,400	74½	74	74
McN Sec.	400	4 14	3 14	4 10
McO Sec. new	100	1 27½	1 27½	1 27½
McLeod	300	3 25	3 10	3 15
Okalta pfd	4	100 00	104 00	105 00
Royalite				62
Spooner	20	1 30	1 30	1 30
Turner Valley				40
United Oils	20	1 00	1 00	1 00
Sootal	1,500	29	30	30

Total sales 16,880

NEW YORK SUGAR

NEW YORK, Feb 6.—The raw sugar market was quiet early today and prices unchanged at 3.74 for spots duty paid. No sales were reported.

Refined was unchanged at 5.10 for fine granulated. Withdrawals were fair. No new business was reported.

Victoria Stock Exchange

MINING

	Bid	Asked
Bayview		06
Big Missouri	4 40	2 14
Dalhousie		.44
George Copper	11 90	12.90
Independence		.16
Int Coal & Coke	26	
Kootenay Florence		.28
L. & L.	04	
Lakeview	01½	06
Malaspina	14	12
Oregon Copper		1 18
Pend Oreille, com	12 90	12 74
Premier	2 14	2 06
Richmond		.06
Rufus-Argenta		20
Silvercrest		12
Slocan King	09½	16
Terminus	04	14

UNLISTED

	Bid	Asked
Grandview	70	73
Georgia River	47	50
Glivertin		64
Wellington		42
George Enterprise	.44	28
Northern Light		30
Marmot Gold		06½
Topley Richfield	45	44
United Empire	–	20
Mohawk		11
Noble Five		70
Kootenay King	47	
Snowflake		37

MORNING SALES

Georgia River 100 at .46. 100 at .50

AFTERNOON SALES

International Coal—1,000 at 24½.
Silvercrest—500 at 11¼.
Georgia River—1,000 at 48.
George Enterprise—1,000 at .25. 100 at .44. 500 at 25.
Topley Richfield—1,000 at .46.
Bluebird—200 at 23. 500 at .22, 1,000 at .22. 200 at 23.
Kootenay King—1,000 at 28.

STOCK MARKET HAS REACTION

Sudden Development Occurs In New York—Export Metal Price Advance Features Reports

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—A sharp reactionary development occurred in the stock market today. The announcement of the forthcoming Federal Reserve statement was reflected in irregular price movement as early as the first hour. Later the selling movement grew in volume and the market turned sharply downward.

There was rather persistent talk of an advance in the English bank rate, and this, combined with ideas as to what the Federal Reserve may have to say on credit conditions, naturally helped to increase reactionary sentiment, and the selling grew in volume until the market was steadied by easier call money at 6 per cent. The business reports today were featured by an advance in the export metal prices to 17 3-4 cents and an announcement that no domestic copper was being offered under 17 3-4 cents. This had an early propelling influence on coppers.

Rails firmed early on carloading figures of an encouraging nature. Oils were affected by high production reports. Bethlehem Steel was the steel feature on announcement that the cruiser bill had been passed by the Senate. Motors early reflected an oversold condition. Also the gold imports reported were of a favorable influence.

Naturally the Federal Reserve statement tomorrow will have considerable bearing on the near future course of values. Other influences overhanging the market are brokers' loans, to be published tomorrow, and the action to be taken about the same time on Federal Reserve rate in this district. The market in the next forty-eight hours may be subjected to a rather severe test.

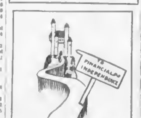
FOREIGN BONDS

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Antioquia 7s, 1945 A	93	94
Argentine 6s, 1957	100	100¼
Argentine 6s, 1959	100	100⅛
Austrian 7s, 1943	102⅛	103
Belgian 6s, 1955	100	100⅛
Belgian 7s, 1955	109½	109
Belgian 7s, 1956	108⅝	109⅛
Brazil 6½s, 1957	94	99½
Costa Rica 7s, 1951	93	93⅛
Est Ry 7s, 1954	104¼	104⅝
French 7s, 1949	102¼	106⅜
French 7½s, 1941	112⅛	110¼
German 7s, 1949	107⅛	108
Hungary 7½s, 1945	100	100¼
Hugo Stinnes 7s, 1936	90⅛	90⅛
Hugo Stinnes 7s, 1946	88⅛	88¼
Italy 7s, 1951	97	97⅛
Jap 6½s, 1954	101½	102
Nord 6½s, 1950	107	
Polish 6s, 1940	83	83½
Polish 8s, 1950	95⅛	98
Seine 7s, 1942	107⅛	100
Siemen & Hal 6½s, 1951	106	107¼
Uruguay 2s, 1960	97⅛	98¼
Uruguay 6s, 1946	100¼	100⅛

Money at Work

Earning, Saving, Investing



Among other roads, the one to financial independence is principally paved with good intentions.

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When most of us see the speed with which money accumulates at compound interest we are impressed and generally make a mental note that we are going to benefit by this rapid accumulation and save. Sometimes we even go so far as to start a savings account—with intentions of cashing in on producing powers of interest. Then we go into a tailspin, flop financially dead, and don't add to the savings account.

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	High	Low	Close
Alta Pacific Grain	63	67	62
Abitibi	90	90 4	40 4
Asbestos	30	86	90
Atlantic Sugar	14 4	12	13
Am Breweries	36	36	39
B.A. Oil	56	53	53
Bell Telephone	171	171	171
Brazilian Trac	74-4	73 6	73-7
B C Fish & Pack	30-4	37 6	37-4
Brompton Paper	90	30 4	39 2
B C Power "A"	67-4	66-4	66-6
B C Power "B"	36-4	35-4	38-4
Can Bronze	61	38-4	63-4
Can. Cement com	90	36-4	30-6
Can Car Fdy com	105	106	106
Can. Car Fdy pfd.	104	173	173
Can S S com	46	44	46
Can S S pfd	96	96	96
Can Converters	100	100	100
Can Ind Alcohol	44 4	43	44 4
Carling Brewing Co	29 4	32 4	29-4
Cons M & S	315	300	310
Dominion Bridge	109	101	109 4
Dominion Glass	103	100	100
Dominion Textile	100	107 4	107 4
Dryden Paper	27	47	67
Hiram Walker	93 4	90 4	91 4
Massey Harris	95 6	91 4	92 7
McColl Frontenac	35	34	34
Montreal Power	110	114	118
National Breweries	136	134	134
Noranda	94	90 4	90 4
Page Hersey	131-4	130	126
Penmans Ltd	100	100	100
Power Corpn	118 5	112 4	115
Shawinigan	93	90	90
Steel of Canada	90	90 4	90
Winnipeg Elec	87	87	87

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, Feb 6.—Eggs and butter, active; cheese firm.

Cheese—Westerns, 23c to 23 1-4c.

Butter—No. 1 Pasteurized, 41 3-4c to 42c.

Eggs—Storage extras, 36c, firsts, 32c, seconds, 28c; extras, fresh, 46c; firsts, 41c.

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Registrar: Montreal Trust Co., Montreal — **Transfer Agents:** The Royal Trust Co., Montreal

CAPITALIZATION

	Authorized	Issued
5% Cumulative Preferred Shares (this issue)	$5,000,000	$2,000,000
Common Shares (par value $10 per share)	$3,000,000	$1,200,000

THE COMPANY: Canadian International Investment Trust Limited has been organized under the laws of the Dominion of Canada as an investment corporation of the management type, with powers to invest in securities of any and every nature, either foreign or domestic, thereby affording its shareholders an opportunity to participate in a broad diversification of selected investments and underwritings, and affording them the benefit of constant supervision of their funds under experienced management. The Company will be managed in accordance with the well defined principles which characterize existing successful British and American Trusts of similar design.

ASSETS: The Company will receive the full par value for each share of preferred and each share of common stock sold, amounting to the sum of $3,200,000 which, less a reasonable amount for incorporation and organization expenses, will be available for investment at the commencement of business, or approximately $160 for each preferred share to be presently outstanding.

EARNINGS: The dividend requirement of the preferred shares to be presently outstanding is $100,000 per annum, equivalent to 3.125% of the presently paid up capital of the Company.

RESTRICTIONS: Certain fundamental restrictions governing the operations of the Company, the investment of its funds and the payment of dividends will be set forth in the charter of the Company and its by-laws and which restrictions cannot be made less onerous without approval of holders of at least two-thirds of the Preferred and Common Shares, represented and voting by classes at a Special General Meeting. Among others these restrictions will include the following:—

The Company must maintain at least 50% of its paid up share and loan capital in investments which are legal for Insurance Companies in Canada.

The Company may not invest more than 10% of its paid up share and loan capital in any one security except Government, Provincial or Municipal obligations, or securities which are legal for Insurance Companies in Canada.

Not more than 25% of the Company's paid up share and loan capital may be invested in securities of any one of the following classes: (a) Banks, (b) Insurance Companies (c) Investment Companies and (d) Public Utility Companies, and not more than 12½% of the paid up share and loan capital of the Company may be invested in the securities of any other distinct class of business or industry.

No cash dividend in excess of 8% shall be paid in any year on the Common Shares unless and until there is set aside a sum equal to 12½% of the net earnings available for dividends on the common stock in that year as a special dividend reserve which shall be permitted to accumulate until it equals 50% of the par value of the Common Shares outstanding, and thereafter no dividend in excess of 8% may be declared which shall have the effect of reducing this reserve fund below 50% of the Common Shares outstanding.

The Company may not purchase securities on margin.

MANAGEMENT: The management of the Company will be under the control of a board of directors and executive committee chosen therefrom. Fees of such directors shall not in the aggregate exceed the sum of $10,000 per annum unless otherwise determined by the shareholders at a general meeting. The directors of the Company will include the following:—

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It is expected that interim certificates will be ready for delivery on or about February 25th, 1929.

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FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

WHEAT HOLDS GAIN IN PRICE

TRADE VOLUME NOT LARGE ON WINNIPEG MARKET YESTERDAY

Liverpool Strength Distinct Surprise—Coarse Grain Markets Remain Extremely Dull

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co. Ltd.)

WINNIPEG, Feb 6 — Wheat: Opened about 1-2 cent higher this morning and held very firm between half and three-quarters above last night's close. There appeared to be plenty of wheat for sale at $1.20 for May, but there was good buying at a fraction under those figures. Seaboard houses were in and out of the market, but took a moderate quantity, while there was some short covering and commission house buying. The pool were not selling, but the local trade had wheat for sale at top levels. Trade volume was not large and the local market was inclined to follow Chicago, which was up a full cent at one time.

The unexpected strength in Liverpool was a distinct surprise to the trade, with good buying by the continent reported. There was a better tone to the demand for cash wheat but offerings were extremely light, and wheat changing hands was quite small. Spreads were unchanged to half better. Exporters confirmed only a small business worked overnight, a little No. 5 wheat being taken by the United Kingdom. Buying of Winnipeg October by American interests was again prominent. Foreign cables show that the disappearance of wheat this year is attracting attention on the other side. Both India and China have bought Australian wheat recently and Australian markets are firm.

The world's wheat statistical position is steadily strengthening on the tremendous consumption and increasing necessity of all importing countries, and this encourages the bulls. Weather in the South is now more seasonable and snow has fallen over a wide area the past day or two.

Coarse grains: These markets continued extremely dull, nothing of feature going on. While the demand was very slack, there was no selling pressure and prices held very steady.

Flax: This market was also quiet, although there was a little buying by crushers. Offerings light.

FUTURES

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	128⅝	129⅛	128⅜	128⅞
July	130⅜	130⅞	130⅛	130⅛
October	128⅜	130⅛	128⅜	130⅛
Oats—				
May	21⅝	21⅝	21⅛	61⅛
July	60⅞	60	60⅞	59⅞
October	54⅛	60⅞	54⅛	54⅞
Rye—				
May	113⅝	113⅞	112⅞	113⅞
July	112	113⅛	110	110⅞
October	104⅞	100⅞	100⅞	100⅛
Barley—				
May	79⅛	73⅛	70	70
July	70⅞	73⅛	77⅞	70⅛
October	71⅛	71⅞	71⅛	71⅞
Flax—				
July	100	100⅞	138	138⅞
May	201	202	201	202

VICTORY AND WAR LOANS

VICTORY LOAN, 5½%—TAX FREE		
Interest due—	Buy	Sell
1933, 1st May & Nov	101 80	102 25
1937, 1st June & Dec	104 65	108 25
WAR LOAN, 5%—TAX FREE		
1931, 1st Apr & Oct	100 13	100 40
1937, 1st Mar & Sept	101 60	102 25
(Payable New York)		
VICTORY LOAN, 5½%		
1932, 1st May & Nov	101 00	101 30
1934, 1st May & Nov	101 05	102 25
DOMINION LOAN		
1934, 15th Apr & Oct, 5%	102 30	103 75
1940, 1st Mar & Sept, 4½%	97 15	97 75
1944, 12th Apr & Oct, 5½%	97 85	98 35
1946, 1st Feb & Aug, 4½%	97 00	98 30
1934, 1st Feb & Aug (C.N.R.), 6%	Mkt	
1937, 1st Jan & July (C.N.R.), 4½%	Mkt	

Add accrued interest to date.
1937, 37 days, 1.010 per $100
1932, 1933, 1934, 97 days, 1.462 per $100
1942, 114 days, 1.383 per $100
1944, 114 days, 1.405 per $100
1943, 5 days, .001 per $100
Brokerage rate on Victory and War Loans, ⅛ of 1%.

SILVER MARKETS

LONDON, Feb 6.—Bar silver, 26d per ounce.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Feb 6.—Bar silver, 56 5-8. Mexican dollars, 43 7-8.

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Shares Issued, 1,660,000

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Sudbury's holdings in other companies include 250,000 shares of Malartic (with a present value of $400,000), 10,000 shares of Bathurst Mines Ltd., 1,175 shares of T. W. Bathurst Ltd., 219,000 shares of Sherritt Gordon, and 1,250,000 shares of Falconbridge Nickel.

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B.C. Silver	1 23	1 30
Big Missouri	1 24	1 00
B.C. Electric, pfd	100 00	
Bluebird	21	22
Cork Province	33½	31
Cotton Belt		18
Dalhousie	18	22
Dunwell	14	10
Duthie	00	00
George Copper	11 25	11 50
Georgia River	42	42½
Golconda	1 03	1 00
Gladstone	14½	14½
Grandview	72½	73
Independence	10½	11
Indian	00½	07½
International O. & O.	32	30
Kootenay Florence	25	24
Kootenay King	32	33
L. & L.	00½	00½
Lakeview	01½	
Lucky Jim	10½	.20
Marmot Gold		07½
Marmot Metals	00½	07½
Morton Woolsey	00	00
Mohawk	07½	00
National Silver	20½	21
Noble Five	80½	70
Oregon Copper	1 07	1 10
Pend Oreille, com	12.33	
Porter-Idaho	63	66
Premier	3 13	0 13
Richmond	02½	03
Rufus-Argenta	30	37
Reeves-McDonald	3 25	3 50
Ruth Hope	54	55
Silvercrest	11	11¼
Silversmith	17½	
Slocan King	10	10½
Sunloch	3 80	0 00
Topley Richfield	40	48
Toric	2 00	2 35
Whitewater	1 25	
Woodbine	03½	03¾
OILS		
Advance	71	
A.P. Consolidated	07	00
Dalhousie	1 73	1 00
Mayland	2 40	2 45
Home		3 70

MORNING SALES

B.C. Silver—350 at 1 25
Bayview 1.000 at 00½
Big Missouri—3.000 at 2 00, 200 at 2 01, 100 at 2 02, 200 at 2 03, 3.450 at 2 04, 4.700 at 2 00, 100 at 2 00, 100 at 2 08
Blue Bird—4.000 at 22½, 2.000 at 22
Cork Province—2.000 at 20, 2.000 at 00½, 2.000 at 31, 400 at 31½
Cotton Belt—250 at 50
Dalhousie Mines—1.300 at 30
Duthie Mines—300 at 60, 200 at 72
George Copper—100 at 11 20, 103 at 11 50
Gladstone—34.250 at 14, 100 at 14½
Georgia River—000 at 40, 1.000 at 40½; 23.000 at 47, 2.727 at 47½, 12.700 at 48
Golconda—1.100 at 1 02, 2.100 at 1 00
Grandview—000 at 71½, 0.000 at 72, 1.200 at 72½, 0.000 at 72, 1.000 at .72½, 400 at 74
Indian Mines—7.200 at 07, 500 at 07½
Independence—22.500 at .11, 1.000 at .11½ (b60)
Inlet Coal—500 at 36½
Kootenay King — 3 500 at 00, 3 000 at 00½
Kootenay Florence—5.300 at 23, 1.000 at 23½, 1.000 at .24
L. & L.—4.000 at 00, 1.000 at 00½
Lakeview—4.000 at 01½
Lucky Jim—11.200 at 10; 000 at 10½
Marmot Gold—3.000 at 07; 2 000 at 07½, 3.000 at 07½
B.C. Tel, pfd—3 at 105 00
Glasord (UB) 21.000 at 03, 2.000 at 03½
Marmot Metals—3,000 at 07
Mohawk 3.000 at 07½, 25.000 at 00
Morton-Woolsey—33.300 at 00
Noble Five—1.300 at 00, 0.500 at 00½, 1.100 at 70
Oregon Copper—800 at 1.00; 0.200 at 1 07, 7.773 at 1 08
Pend Oreille — 300 at 12 33, 1.310 at 13 50
Premier Gold—350 at 3 13, 100 at 2 17
Porter-Idaho—100 at 65, 3.303 at 00
Reeves-McDonald—3.443 at 3 30
Rufus-Argenta — 300 at 38, 3.400 at 20, 500 at 30½, 000 at 40
Silver Cup—300 at 45
Ruth-Hope—1.752 at 54, 2 700 at 35
Silver Crest—1.000 at 11¼, 3.000 at 11½, 4.300 at 11¾, 0.000 at 12
Silversmith—3,300 at 14½, 2.000 at 12; 1.000 at 13
Silverado—500 at 1 10, 000 at 1 13
Slocan King—385 at 00, 3.000 at 00½, 1,000 at 00¾, 0.700 at 12
Sunloch—100 at 3 75, 13 at 4 00
Topley Richfield — 13.000 at 40, 2.000 at 47
Wallington—1,000 at 13½, 0.000 at 16
Whitewater—1.750 at 1 10
National Silver—3,000 at 31
Woodbine—1,000 at 03½, 3.000 at 03¾, 3.300 at 00
A.P. Cons.—1,000 at 00, 1.000 at 00
Dalhousie Oil—700 at 1 75, 50 at 1 00
Devenish Pete—300 at 40
Pacific Pete—3.100 at 45
Home Oil 343 at 3 75, 80 at 3 00
Illinois-Alberta—225 at 72
McLeod Oil—50 at 3 13

OFF-SESSION SALES

Grandview 3.000 at 73

AFTERNOON SALES

Big Missouri 3.073 at 1 23, 500 at 1 93, 300 at 1 04, 3.073 at 1 85, 700 at 1 00, 100 at 1 83
Blue Bird—4,000 at .31, 380 at 25
Cork Province 5.000 at 30½, 7.100 at 31
George Copper 50 at 11 00, 1 100 at 11 22
Georgia River—18.000 at 47½, 10.200 at 40
Golconda—0.000 at 1 03; 2.000 at 1 04
Gladstone 1.000 at 14, 4.500 at 14½, 2.500 at 14½, 2.000 at 15
Grandview—1.000 at 73, 3.000 at 73¾, 3.000 at 73½, 350 at 73, 400 at 73½, 1.000 at 74 (b60)
Independence—300 at 11¼
Kootenay Florence—2,200 at 23, 1.000 at 23½
Kootenay King—1,000 at 30
L. & L.—3.000 at 03½
Lucky Jim—2,000 at 10
Marmot Metals—3.000 at 07

Mohawk—1,000 at 07½, 1.000 at 00, 150 at 00½
Morton Woolsey — 1.000 at 06, 000 at 00½
National Silver—1,000 at 21
Noble Five—13.000 at 00½, 000 at 00
Premier Gold 1.420 at 3 18
Oregon Copper—1.000 at 1 00, 0,000 at 1 00, 1.000 at 1 07, 700 at 1 20
Pend Oreille—320 at 12 15, 13 at 12 20, 00 at 12 25, 100 at 12 30, 300 at 12 25; 100 at 12 45, 320 at 12 00, 10 at 13 00
Porter-Idaho—1.000 at 64, 300 at 00
Reeves McDonald—3.330 at 3 30, 670 at 3 00
Rufus-Argenta—3.003 at 38½, 1.000 at 23, 1.000 at 30½, 1,000 at 27, 4.200 at .38
Ruth-Hope—1,000 at 54½
Silver Crest—1.000 at .11¼; 3.000 at .11¼, 2,000 at .11¾
Silver Cup—1.000 at 44, 300 at 45
Silversmith—2.000 at 13, 2.000 at 13½; 1.000 at 17, 1.000 at 17½, 1,500 at 17¾
Silverado—1,000 at 1 10
Slocan King—4.000 at 13, 3,000 at 10½
Sunloch—1.000 at 3 23, 25 at 4 00
Topley Richfield—400 at 45½, 14.200 at 46, 400 at 46½, 150 at 47
Whitewater—500 at 1 13, 500 at 1 10, 600 at 1 20, 4.900 at 1 25
Woodbine—000 at 00
A.P. Consolidated—470 at 67
Pacific Pete 1.500 at 95
Home Oil—200 at 3 70
McLeod—100 at 3 25, 100 at 3 40, 150 at 3 50, 00 at 3 56, 600 at 3 75, 50 at 3 00, 200 at 3 00, 200 at 3 95, 600 at 4 00

Whitney Letter

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co. Limited)

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NEW YORK, Feb 6.—Whitney of the Wall Street Financial Bureau says:

I believe that it will be found tomorrow that there was "much ado about nothing" in the rumors which were circulated today concerning the statement from the Federal Reserve Board, and which will have to be measured by today's market.

As repeatedly pointed out here, bank reserves and rates for money give all the explanation which is needed on the present credit situation. With a continued loss of gold, it is reasonable to expect that an advance in the Bank of England rate will be recorded, but it is quite unlikely that this expedient will be adopted until other measures have failed, and it is likewise quite undoubted that there will be no advance in the rate at this time.

Even if the English bank rate is advanced there will be no advance in American rates, as this would nullify the effect which it is desired to gain by increasing the English rate. The selling in today's market was well absorbed, particularly that around noon time, which was so ill-advised that those who sold out stocks were presented in many instances with their stocks, recovering not only all the day's loss but in the case of Vanadium, for example, going into new high territory before the close. I believe that the market gave a splendid account of itself after the first scared selling had been absorbed and that it will continue on its upward course today.

Vanadium Steel performed as expected, and has established a new high record, and will continue to advance tomorrow establishing further new high records more closely approximating our objective of 150. American Can below 120 should be bought for the remaining 40 points which, I believe, is in the stock. The opportunity is still present to buy Denver & Rio Grande Western preferred and, as stated yesterday, the opportunity is one which should not be ignored. I believe Mack Trucks has reacted sufficiently to warrant a renewed buying recommendation while the issue is available near the 110 level. The same may be said for Industrial Alcohol around the 150 level.

Bethlehem Steel is another issue which, while reacting from its best recent prices, is still well above levels where you bought a week or so ago. The present price will look like bargains when the stock has fully reflected the significance of the development of the Government's naval programme which the stock had started to discount before being interrupted by general market conditions today. Use whatever concession from its record prices that the new General Motors stock will give you to buy it for substantially higher prices. Those of you who are still holding American & Foreign Power can now place an objective of 115 on it.

Canadian Copper Refinery Company Names Its Directors

OTTAWA, Feb 6.—Canadian Copper Refiners, Limited, have applied to the Secretary of State Department for incorporation. It is hoped that incorporation will be granted tomorrow.

The head office of the corporation will be located at Toronto. The names of directors mentioned in the incorporation are legal associates and employees of J. Y. Murdoch, president of Noranda Mines.

EGG PRODUCE PRICES

Federal Department of Agriculture

PRICE TO PRODUCERS	Ext	1sts	2nds
Vancouver	28-30	24-22	22-22
Victoria	28	26	23
Edmonton	26-33	26 33	20 22
Calgary	30 32	30-33	30
Winnipeg	36-00	25 32	25-27
Toronto	38-41	33-30	25 27
Montreal	42	33	23
St. John	35-37	30 32	24 26
Halifax	35-37	30-21	24-22
JOBBING PRICE			
Vancouver	31-33	29 30	27
Victoria	25	33	28
Edmonton	37-33	34 20	33
Calgary	43 42	27 28	30-33
Winnipeg	42	40	32
Toronto	43	39	30
Montreal	40 42	40-42	33-31
St. John	44 40	41 43	36-38
Halifax	43 46	39-43	25-34

METAL MARKETS

LONDON, Feb. 6.—Standard copper, spot, £80 5s, futures, £77 17s 6d. Electrolytic, spot, £81 15s; futures, £82 5s.

Tin, spot and futures, £228 5s.

Lead, spot and futures, £22 17s 6d.

Zinc, spot, £26 5s, futures, £26 10s.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Feb 6.—Copper, strong; electrolytic, spot and futures, 17 3-4.

Iron, steady; unchanged.

Tin, steady; spot and futures, 50 1-2.

Lead, firmer, spot, New York 6 75, East St. Louis, 6 60.

Zinc, firmer, East St. Louis, spot and futures, 6 25.

Antimony, 9.62 to 9 75.

FAVORITES IN HEADLONG FALL

MINING MARKET TREMENDOUSLY ACTIVE AT TORONTO

Traders Become Panicky as Realizing and Liquidation Orders Start the Rapid Drop

TORONTO, Feb 6.—Although the mining market was tremendously active today with a considerably larger volume of transactions being registered than yesterday, traders apparently heeded the recent warnings to curb participation in the more speculative issues and accept profits which were quickly made.

Right from the opening gong realization and liquidation orders poured onto the floor of the Standard Exchange, starting a downward movement of the more recent speculative favorites, and gained impetus as the session wore on. The tape became hopelessly late and traders became more or less panicky, throwing over large volumes of stock without regard to price. During the last couple of days, we have cautioned our clients against overparticipation in the more speculative issues, as their position had been considerably impaired following the recent sharp upswing. It is difficult to forecast the future trend of the mining market for the next couple of days.

However, we anticipate a continuation of the marked activity, and it is possible strong spots will be attacked further by the bearish element. The fact should not be overlooked that there are plenty of issues on the board which have not moved at all commensurately with their potential worth.

(Supplied by H. R. Hunnings & Co., Ltd.)

	Sales	High	Low	Close
Abana	0.500	2 80	2 70	2 78
Aconda	3.500	17	13	17
Amity	23.000	42	33	43
Amulet	1.200	3 00	3 00	2 07
Arno	127.000	1 07	1 10	1 40
Bethard	3.000	32	35	00
Barry Hollinger	7.300	00	29	29
Bidgood	31.000	53	46	48
Cop Rouyn	3.500	00½	00½	00¾
Buckingham	12.000	11	10¾	11
Cent. Man	1 000	00	00	00
Clericy	3.500	25	00	35
Coast Copper	300	63 00	60 30	60 50
Goldale	500	13½	13½	13½
Gold Hill	1.000	07	07	07
Goodfish	1.300	.21	21	21
Grenada	13.000	.20	29	20
Grandview	3.500	73	72	73
Hawey	8.100	1 13	1 14	1 14
Hudson Bay	3.000	22 00	22 20	22 20
Jack Man	500	12	13	13
Keeley	3.000	32	33	.32
Kirk Lake	3.200	1 66	1 60	1 65
Koot Flor	2.000	25	33	23
Laval	500	00	00	00
Macassa	000	22½	22½	22½
Malartic	2 700	1 00	35	00
McDougall	500	00	00	00
McIntyre	100	21 00	21 00	21 00
Minina Corpn	3.000	2 50	5 40	3 40
Newbec	3.900	43	41½	42
Nipissing	800	3 30	3 37	3 30
Noranda	2.800	60 25	60.00	64.00
Pend Oreille	3 000	13 70	12 00	12 50
Premier	100	2 15	3 13	3 18
San Antonio	2.500	10	10	13
Sher Gordon	20.300	0 20	0 20	0 25
Saint Anthony	1 500	74	23	23
Sud Basin	4.100	6 40	6 25	6 25
Sylvanite	800	3 03	3 05	3 08
Towagamac	100	3 65	3 66	3 00
Teck Hughes	1 000	0 00	0 30	0 00
Tough Oakes	1.000	00	04	05
Vipond	31.400	1 26	1 11	1 11
Wright Har	0.700	3 13	3 10	3 13
Falconbridge	2 000	0 50	8 25	0 40
New Nickel	1.300	60 25	34 00	64 00

Eastern Markets

News and Comment on Business Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co. (Victoria), Limited

DOW JONES' SUMMARY

Brunswick Terminal earned $1.90 a share on average number of shares outstanding in 1928 against 29 cents on 100,000 shares in 1927. National City Company and United States Realty & Imperial Company form U.S.R. management corporation to manage buildings financed by issuance of stocks rather than bonds and to hold their common stocks. Vacuum Oil declared $1 quarterly dividend, placing stock on $4 basis, against $3 previously. Warner Brothers Pictures earned $5.30 a share on combined class "A" and common stocks in quarter ended December 1 against 16 cents in quarter ended November 26, 1927. Their earnings do not reflect increased capitalization.

Rock Island directors meet at 11 a.m., and St. Louis-San Francisco directors at 3.15 p.m. for dividend action. United States Cast Iron Pipe low bidder on Standard Cast Iron Pipe for twin 36-inch force mains from New Meander reservoir to Youngstown reservoir, with bid of $35 a ton, or a total of $525,000.

Consolidation of Hart, Parr Company, Nichols & Shepard and Oliver Plow Company understood to be under negotiations.

American Smelting withdrew offer for purchase of substantial interest in Changa Copper Mines, Limited, and American Smelting Vice-President H. A. Guess resigns from Changa board says Herald-Tribune. Swedish Match Company declared dividend of 5 per cent unchanged from preceding dividend, and Kreuger & Toll Company a dividend of 25 per cent, also unchanged. Dow Jones averages: 30 Industrial, 332.06, up 3.01; 30 rails, 159.71, off 0.81; 40 bonds, 95.73, off 0.02. New high in Industrials.

COMING EVENTS

There is every evidence that business preparations for the coming Spring season reflect even a greater degree of confidence than was manifest at the beginning of the year. The most reassuring feature in connection with the business situation is the continuing absence of any indications of speculation in the commodity markets. Such advances as have occurred appear to have been amply justified by the relation between supply and demand and in no was occasioned by overanticipation of requirements. While business prospects are the best and confidence was never stronger, many believe that, for the time being the future of a number of the leading industrials has already been more than liberally discounted. The publication of reports of last year's business showing current prices for some stocks at anywhere from twenty to thirty times earnings has injected a needed measure of sobe-

thinking into the situation. However, one need but note the daily press announcements of new projects, involving a continuous succession of enormous capital subscriptions to realize that bigger and bigger business is the order of the day.

Although seemingly premature, evidences are not lacking to show that the expectation of upward tariff revision is already exerting a favorable influence on shares representative of certain lines of production. The independant action taken by the Baltimore & Ohio in its proposal to acquire the Reading & Jersey Central for unification into a single system, promises to precipitate developments calculated to keep the rail market active for several months to come. Possibilities in this connection will be better realized when it is considered that more than twenty separate important railroads are involved in the Eastern rail merger situation alone. With industrials hovering around their all time highest levels, and utilities just having shot up to new record peaks, the rails, under the stimulus of last week's notable events, should from now on assume the leadership in speculative activity. Based on comparisons between earnings, dividends, treasury position, etc., many of the rails, regardless of merger as factor of increased value, are far behind most of the leading industrials in market appraisal. It is probable, besides, that in no other quarter of the list has the floating supply of stocks become so greatly reduced in recent months as in the high-class rails.

Page-Hersey 1928 trading profits, $1,616,152, income from investments, etc., $104,479. Total, $1,620,731 against $1,131,153 in 1927; stock dividend of $1 on common declared for current quarter, payable April 1, placing stock on regular $4 basis, $3 formerly as at the end of 1928. Number of preferred shares outstanding has been reduced through conversion of 17,059 against 27,151 outstanding at end of 1927; outlook for first half of current year at least is for continued activity at high levels. Washington Federal Reserve will issue special statement on credit conditions late this afternoon.

It is reported in market circles, British Overseas Bank is shipping 500,000 pounds of gold and another financial house 750,000 pounds today on the Ss. Paris for New York; all of which will be taken from the Bank of England. The above shipments were included in those announced here yesterday. It is believed Philadelphia-Reading Railway authorized increase of 4 cents an hour in wages of its shop workers. The increase raises the scale from 77 to 61 cents an hour. About 6,000 men all over the system are affected by the increase.

Construction of a $3,000,000 mill, to be used for turning out wooden parts of automobile bodies for Murray Corporation of America, has been started at Memphis, Tenn. The plant when completed will be turning out parts for 3,500 bodies daily.

Federal Reserve to issue statement regarding credit conditions will be issued by Federal Reserve Board during the morning and afternoon of Monday and Tuesday.

TRADING ITEMS

Continental Can has made another high for the year and continues to meet with important accumulation. The stock should work up another 10 or 15 points. We would follow strength in it.

Paramount-Famous-Lasky is meeting with the best kind of buying. We think the stock will work above 70 before the end of this week. The stock should sell above 90 on earnings alone. We would buy it at the market.

WALL STREET MIRROR

We continue optimistic with regard to the drug stocks. A renewal of good buying is again appearing in Cerro De Pasco Copper. It is considered one of the best of the coppers and should sell higher. Earnings are large.

A new group has taken hold of Brunswick term which now is really a minig company based on its ownership of the American Mineral Company, which owns large deposits of maganese. Efforts are now being made to have the import duty on manganese increased.

Congress Cigar and American Tobacco are expected to be merged.

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, Feb 6.—Futures quotations:

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
March	130b	130b	130b	130b
May	133⅛b	133⅛b	133⅛b	133⅛b
July	130⅛a	100⅛b	130⅛b	130⅛b

Cash: No. 1 N., 130; 2 N., 123; 3 N., 110; 4 wheat, 110; 5 wheat, 100; 6 wheat, 87½; feed, 82½.

NEW YORK CURB

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

Asso Gas & Elec	60	[illegible]
Carib Synd., new	2⅛	[illegible]
Caterpillar Trac	78	[illegible]
Cities Service, com	94	[illegible]
Cities Service, pfd	96⅞	[illegible]
Club Aluminum	21	[illegible]
Colombia Synd.	1	[illegible]
Cont Oil	31	[illegible]
Creole Pete	6⅞	[illegible]
Elec B. & S., Bc	331	[illegible]
Engiars Gold	6⅛	[illegible]
Gulf Oil	181	[illegible]
Hudson Bay, M. & S.	32¾	[illegible]
Lion Oil Refg	31¾	[illegible]
Nichols & Shep	83	[illegible]
Newmont Mining	200	[illegible]
Noranda Mines	63½	[illegible]
Niles Bemeat	225	[illegible]
Pantepec Oil	6¼	[illegible]
Servel New Vtc	17⅛	[illegible]
Shattuck Denn	23	[illegible]
Sierra Pac Elec	95	[illegible]
Stand Oil, Indiana	85	[illegible]
Stutz Mtrs	28⅛	[illegible]
Trans Cont Airway	20⅛	[illegible]
Imp Oil, Canada	66⅛	[illegible]
Int'l Pete	48¾	[illegible]
Un Gas & Imp, new	183	[illegible]
Us P & L A, new	37½	[illegible]
United Verde Ext	31¾	[illegible]
Vacuum Oil	121½	[illegible]
Hollinger	12½	[illegible]
Bunker Hill	115⅛	[illegible]

BANK OF MONTREAL

NOTICE is hereby given that a DIVIDEND of THREE per cent upon the paid up Capital Stock of this Institution has been declared for the current quarter, payable on and after FRIDAY, the FIRST day of MARCH next, to Shareholders of record of 31st January, 1929.

By Order of the Board
FREDERICK WILLIAMS-TAYLOR,
General Manager.
Montreal, 22nd January, 1929

New Issue

80,000 Shares

Canadian Investors Corporation, Limited

NO-PAR VALUE CAPITAL STOCK

Transfer Agent: National Trust Company, Limited — *Registrar:* The Royal Trust Company

CAPITALIZATION

	Authorized	To be Issued
Capital Stock, no-par value	400,000 Shares	80,000 Shares*

*In the event of subscriptions being received in excess of the amount, the right is reserved to issue all or part of the remaining authorized shares to meet the Corporation $24 a share and to be sold to investors at $26.50 a share.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The board of directors is, with one exception, composed entirely of executives of McLeod, Young, Weir & Co., Limited, and consists of—

D. I. McLeod, *Director*, McLeod, Young, Weir & Co., Limited, Canada Paving & Supply Co., Limited, Canadian Dredge & Dock Co., Limited, P. T. Legare Co., Limited, A. J. Freiman, Limited, The Robert Mitchell Co., Limited.

Lt.-Col. J. Gordon Weir, D.S.O., M.C., *Director*, McLeod, Young, Weir & Co., Limited, Photo Engravers & Electrotypers, Limited, Stanford's, Limited.

M. J. Patton, M.A., *Financial Economist*, McLeod, Young, Weir & Co., Limited, Formerly, *Tariff Adviser* to the Minister of Finance, Canada, and prior to that *Economic Adviser*, Commission of Conservation, Canada, and *Economic Adviser*, Natural Resources Intelligence Service, Canada.

W. E. Young, *Director*, McLeod, Young, Weir & Co., Limited, British Northwestern Fire Insurance Co., Canada Vinegars, Limited, Goose Packing Co., Limited.

J. H. Ratcliffe, *Director*, McLeod, Young, Weir & Co., Limited, Hayes Wheels & Forgings, Limited, *Vice-President*, Humberstone Shoe Co., Limited, *Director*, Hunt's Limited, Photo Engravers & Electrotypers, Limited, Seaman Kent Co., Limited.

E. P. Taylor, B.Sc., *Director*, McLeod, Young, Weir & Co., Limited.

W. Kaspar Fraser, K.C., of Fraser & Beatty, Barristers-at-Law.

Organization: Canadian Investors Corporation, Limited, has been formed under the laws of the Province of Ontario as an investment corporation of the management type with broad powers to buy, sell, trade in, pledge and hold securities of any kind, to invest money at interest, to participate in enterprises, syndicates and underwritings, to engage in activities incidental and subservient thereto, and to exercise such other of its charter powers as its board of directors may from time to time determine. It is designed to obtain for the holders of its securities the benefits of experienced investment management and constant supervision of their funds, and to afford participation in a diversification of selected securities and in underwritings.

Initial Capital: The corporation will commence business with at least $2,000,000 in cash, representing the proceeds of the sale of 80,000 shares of its capital stock to McLeod, Young, Weir & Co., Limited, at $25 per share. Of these 80,000 shares, 4,000 shares are being purchased for $100,000 cash by McLeod, Young, Weir & Co., Limited, for its own account. As McLeod, Young, Weir & Co., Limited, will pay all expenses in connection with incorporation and organization, and the issue and distribution of this stock, the above sum of $2,000,000 will be net to the corporation.

Management: The corporation has entered into a management contract with McLeod, Young, Weir & Co., Limited, as manager, whereby the manager will receive no compensation unless the corporation's net profits in any year exceed 7% of the used capital and surplus. In that event the manager is entitled to receive up to 20% of the entire net profits, but in no case shall the compensation received by the manager reduce the net profits to an amount less than 7% of the issued capital and surplus. The requirement for the annual earning of the net profits of 7% shall be cumulative; that is, should the said 7% be not earned in any year, the deficiency is, for the purpose of determining the compensation of the manager, to be deducted in computing the net profits of succeeding years.

Operating Provisions: The charter or the management contract contain provisions to the following effect:

1. The board of directors is empowered to set up reasonable reserves.
2. All financial transactions shall during the currency of the management contract be carried out through the manager unless the manager elects otherwise.
3. Provision is made for continuity in the management of the corporation through the qualifications required for directors.
4. The corporation may issue additional authorized shares from time to time for such consideration as may be fixed by the board of directors, provided that the corporation shall receive not less than $25 per share in money or other consideration as defined.
5. The management contract may be terminated by a vote of the holders of a majority of the outstanding stock should the fair value of the net assets at the end of any fiscal year be less than $25 for each share outstanding. Unless terminated under provisions made in that behalf, the contract shall continue until December 31st, 1939, and automatically thereafter for five-year periods unless terminated by either party giving six months' written notice to that effect.

The corporation may issue bonds, debentures or other securities in the discretion of the board of directors.

It is contemplated that the manager will deal freely with the corporation, but in any transaction between them McLeod, Young, Weir & Co., Limited, will accept the responsibility of the fairness of the transaction.

The corporation will not take over any securities now owned by McLeod, Young, Weir & Co., Limited.

The auditors of the corporation will be Messrs. Price, Waterhouse & Co., and its counsel, Messrs. Fraser & Beatty.

The foregoing is subject to the more complete statements contained in the charter and the management contract, copies of which may be obtained from the undersigned upon request.

Price: $26.50 Per Share

Application will be made in due course to list this stock on either the listed or the unlisted section of a recognized stock exchange

This stock is offered subject to allotment or prior sale and to all reports when, as and if issued and accepted by us subject to approval of counsel. The right is reserved to reject any and all subscriptions in whole or in part, to allot less than the amount applied for, and to close the subscription books at any time without notice.

McLeod, Young, Weir & Company, Limited

Metropolitan Building, Toronto

MONTREAL - OTTAWA - HAMILTON - LONDON - WINNIPEG - NEW YORK

FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

DOMINION BANK BREAKS RECORD

Notable Growth Shown in Every Department Indicates Prosperity of Country

The annual statements of Canadian chartered banks are a dependable barometer of the business conditions throughout the country, as they invariably reflect the movement of commerce.

It is clear from a perusal of the fifty-eighth annual statement of the Dominion Bank that Canada is prosperous. At no time in the bank's history has such a highly satisfactory statement appeared. In every department there is notable growth.

Deposits reached a total of $115,340,000, the greatest in the bank's history, and an advance during the year of $6,580,000.

Current loans in Canada are $62,668,000, an expansion of $3,400,000 during the past twelve months.

The net earnings of the bank are $1,408,000, an improvement of $80,000 over the figures of 1927. After the payment of the usual dividends and a bonus of 1 per cent amounting to $780,000, a provision against Government taxation was made of $178,000; $50,000 was contributed to the officers' pension fund, $250,000 was written off bank premises account, $152,000 added to profit and loss account, leaving a balance carried forward of $272,000.

The liquid position is exceptionally high. Cash assets stand at $32,200,000, or 24.24 per cent of public liabilities, while immediately available assets are $77,470,000, or 58.21 per cent of liabilities to the public. The statement of a year ago showed cash assets at $28,650,000, while immediately realizable assets totaled $69,775,000, or 24.24 per cent and 58.21 per cent, respectively, of liabilities to the public.

THE DOMINION BANK

Head Office, Toronto

The Statement of the Bank for the twelve months ended December 31st, 1928, shows continued expansion.

Deposits increased by	$6,600,000
Immediately Available Assets increased by	7,700,000
Total Assets increased by	11,000,000

Fifty-eighth Annual Statement

The Fifty-eighth Annual General Meeting of The Dominion Bank was held at the Head Office in Toronto, on Wednesday, January 30th, 1929, at which the following statement of the Profit and Loss Account and the Liabilities and Assets of the Bank as on December 31st, 1928, was presented —

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

Balance of Profit and Loss Account, 31st December, 1927		$ 120,524 45
Profits for the year, after deducting charges of management, interest accrued on deposits and making full provision for all doubtful assets		1,408 088 12
		$1,528,612 57
Which amount has been disposed of as follows:		
Dividends (quarterly) at Twelve per cent. per annum	$720,000 00	
Bonus, one per cent.	60,000 00	
Total distribution to Shareholders of Thirteen per cent. for the year		$780,000 00
Contribution to Officers' Pension Fund		50,000 00
Dominion and Provincial Government Taxation		178,325 85
Written off Bank Premises		250,000 00
Balance of Profit and Loss Account carried forward		272,286 72
		$1,528,612 57

GENERAL STATEMENT
31st DECEMBER, 1928

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in			$ 6,000,000 00
Reserve Fund		$ 8,000,000 00	
Balance of Profit and Loss Account carried forward		272,286 72	
Dividend No. 185, payable 2nd January, 1929		180,000 00	
Bonus, one per cent., payable 2nd January, 1929		60,000 00	
Former Dividends unclaimed		3,381 00	
			8,515,667 72
Total Liabilities to the Shareholders			$14,515,667 72
Notes of the Bank in Circulation		$ 8,207,237 00	
Deposits not bearing interest	$25,877,880 77		
Deposits bearing interest, including interest accrued to date	80,462,706 41		
		115,340,587 18	
Advances under the Finance Act		2,000,000 00	
Balances due to other Banks in Canada		4,514,865 04	
Balances due to Banks and Banking Correspondents elsewhere than in Canada		2,462,794 16	
Bills Payable		90,716 70	
Liabilities not included in the foregoing		467,901 05	
			133,084,101 13
Letters of Credit Outstanding			5,205,378 49
			$152,805,147 34

ASSETS

Gold and Silver Coin, current	$ 1,460,601 89	
Dominion Government Notes	10,534,537 27	
Deposit in the Central Gold Reserves	2,300,000 00	
Notes of Other Banks	1,140,115 00	
United States and other Foreign Currencies	232,214 66	
Cheques on other Banks	12,068,784 31	
Balances due by Banks and Banking Correspondents elsewhere than in Canada	4,524,080 60	
	$32,260,333 73	
Dominion and Provincial Government Securities, not exceeding market value	16,755,040 40	
Canadian Municipal Securities and British, Foreign and Colonial Public Securities other than Canadian, not exceeding market value	3,843,958 88	
Railway and other Bonds, Debentures and Stocks, not exceeding market value	2,105,630 68	
Call and Short (not exceeding thirty days) Loans in Canada on Stocks, Debentures and Bonds and other Securities of a sufficient marketable value to cover	14,450,122 01	
Call and Short (not exceeding thirty days) Loans elsewhere than in Canada on Stocks, Debentures and Bonds and other Securities of a sufficient marketable value to cover	8,060,301 57	
		$77,470,380 37
Other Current Loans and Discounts in Canada (less rebate of interest) after making full provision for all bad and doubtful debts	$62,667,815 21	
Other Current Loans and Discounts elsewhere than in Canada (less rebate of interest) after making full provision for all bad and doubtful debts	1,185,810 18	
Non Current Loans, estimated loss provided for	66,799 10	
Bank Premises, at not more than cost, less amounts written off	5,642,737 32	
Real Estate other than Bank Premises	5,520 53	
Mortgages on Real Estate sold	32,506 04	
Deposit with the Minister of Finance for the purposes of the Circulation Fund	314,650 00	
Other Assets not included in the foregoing	213,531 00	
		70,129,379 48
Liabilities of Customers under Letters of Credit, as per contra		5,205,378 49
		$152,805,147 34

A. W. AUSTIN, *President* — C. A. BOGERT, *General Manager.*

AUDITORS' REPORT TO SHAREHOLDERS

We Report to the Shareholders of The Dominion Bank

That we have audited the above Balance Sheet as at December 31st, 1928, and compared it with the books and vouchers at Head Office and with the certified returns from the Branches. We have obtained all the information and explanations that we have required, and in our opinion the transactions of the Bank which have come under our notice have been within the powers of the Bank.

In our opinion the Balance Sheet discloses the true condition of the Bank and is as shown by the books of the Bank.

A. B. Shepherd, C.A., of Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Co.
Alfred W. Cole, C.A., of Macintosh, Cole & Robertson

Toronto, January 17th, 1929

IS OVERDONE WHEAT SELLING

CHICAGO MART HAS BETTER TONE AND PRICES GAIN

Seaboard Reports Good Demand for Manitobas—Cold Weather in Europe Raises Consumption

(Supplied by B.C. Bond Corpn., Ltd.)

CHICAGO, Feb 6.—It appeared as though the selling of wheat yesterday probably had been overdone, and with Liverpool relatively stronger than expected and Winnipeg steady, our market had better tone, and prices gained about a cent on the day. Houses with foreign connections were credited with buying futures here during the morning and the seaboard reported a good demand for Manitobas. The Canadian Pool was said to have withdrawn overnight offers abroad. Weather conditions in the West and Southwest were somewhat favorable as parts of Nebraska received some snow, although a late dispatch from Sidney, in Southwest Nebraska, said the temperature there was zero, with very little snow in that section and what had been received drifting badly.

Enid, Okla., was reporting sleet. Omaha sold 50,000 bushels of wheat to come to Chicago. Weather continues extremely cold in Europe, and Broomhall reported consumption increasing as a consequence. Would adhere to a trading position, with preference on good breaks.

The decline in corn yesterday ended in a revival of export business with demand appearing from several sources. There was some discrepancy in seaboard figures on export, although reports ran as high as 700,000 bushels. The United Kingdom was reported to have bought scattered lots, and Gulf bids were advanced. Memphis advised that exporters were trying to buy corn there for the Gulf and that bids were on a better basis. It begins to look as though the peak of the Southwest movement from farms has been reached and that a decline in receipts at Missouri markets may be reasonably expected from now on. Shipments of corn out of Kansas City yesterday were 182 cars, the largest for one day on the crop, so the outgo was evidently keeping pace with arrivals. Handlers there said the grain was going in all directions, good amounts being destined to Chicago.

Country offerings continued small but cash sales here were much larger and the cash market higher. Continue to favor purchases on recessions.

Latest News From Wall Street

(Supplied by Branson Brown & Co., Ltd.)

Hartmann Corporation declared regular quarterly dividends of 50 cents on class "A" and 30 cents on class "B" both payable March 1, record February 14.

Charles E. Hires Co. declared regular quarterly dividend of 50 cents on class "A" payable March 1, record February 15.

Caterpillar Tractor Co. declared regular quarterly dividend of 75 cents payable February 25, record February 15, placing stock on $3 annual basis against $2.20 previously plus 20 cents quarterly extras. 1928 profit before Federal taxes of $9,295,639 against $6,910,326.

Truscon Steel Co. declared regular quarterly dividend of $1.75 on preferred payable March 1, record February 18.

Copper exporters advanced copper ¼ cent a pound to 17¾ cents c.i.f. Hamburg, Havre and London. Another quarter cent advance in price of copper for domestic delivery not improbable this week.

American Smelting withdrew offer for purchase of substantial interest in N'Changa Copper Mines, Ltd., and American Smelting vice-president, H. A. Guess, resigns from N'Changa board, according to reports.

Reports were current yesterday in the financial district that the long awaited St. Louis and O'Fallon valuation case will be handed down by the Supreme Court of the United States within the next two weeks.

While interest in railroad shares lagged yesterday, apparently as a result of some profit-taking, directors of several railroads are scheduled to meet today, and there are indications that some roads will increase their dividend rates. The Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific is expected to increase its rate from $6 to $7. Earnings last year approximated $13 a share on the common. Directors of Pere Marquette are expected to declare the usual 2% extra in addition to the regular quarterly dividend of 1¼%. Some are expecting the stock to be placed on $7 annual rate. Last year the St. Louis-San Francisco earned $11 a share on the common. The road's income would be increased $183,000 if Rock Island declares an additional 1%. It is possible that an increase in the road's disbursement may be made.

American Petroleum Institute estimates United States crude oil output week ended February 2 averaged 2,680,000 barrels daily, up 18,950 over week ago.

Bethlehem Steel purchased 20,000 tons of No. 1 railroad steel scrap for delivery at Bethlehem. As a result of this purchase local dealers have advanced their purchasing price for this material to $15.50 a ton delivered at Bethlehem.

Syndicate of Pacific Coast investment bankers headed by Schwabacher & Co. will offer tomorrow class "A" stock of newly formed First National Corporation, of Portland Delaware Corporation, which represents reorganization of First National Bank of Portland. Authorized capital is 300,000 shares class "A" and 12,333 shares class "A" stock will be sold to public at 46 and "B" will be offered to bank stockholders at $47.50.

Two dollars extra on Pere Marquette and regular quarterly dividend of $1.50 on common, both payable April 1, record March 8. Regular quarterly dividends of $1.25 each on 5 per cent preferred were also declared payable May 1, record April 8.

Word from abroad showed that a total of $15,700,000 in gold had been arranged for import to this country. Of this amount, $12,700,000 will come from the reserves from the Bank of England. Another million has been purchased in the open market and it cannot be determined from what quarter the other $2,000,000 is to be received. The fact of gold coming into the country may give courage to the stock market, for it will mean that further borrowings will be paid off by member banks at the Federal Reserve or at least that is a probability. On the other hand, the withdrawals of gold from Bank of England reserves may place the Bank of England in the position of having to increase its discount rate to protect its gold. That, of course, would react against the stock market credit situation.

Borden Company directors approve recommendation of finance committee to change par from $50 to $25 a share, and to issue two new shares for each held, subject to stockholders' approval at annual meeting, April 17.

Johns-Manville Corporation and subsidiaries earned $6.75 a common share in 1928, against $4.77 in 1927.

Resolution drafted at meeting of Seminole Oil operators to be voted on later for cut in Oklahoma output by 5,000 barrels daily, but subject to modification. Mission pool operators urged to postpone development.

J. S. Bache & Company—Where companies show a distinct upward earning trend, their respective stocks are worthy of retention. Since in the final analysis such improved earnings must be reflected by a higher market valuation for the securities. Where doubt as to the trend of earnings, we believe it discreet to dispose of holdings.

Prince & Whiteley—The motor group needs the stimulus of an investment trust to deal in automobile shares, and if there should be such an announcement, and it is expected, these stocks would probably boil forward.

Retail Prices

(Revised February 6, 1929)

DAIRY PRODUCE

Butter—	
Salt Alberta, cartons	[illegible]
Comox, lb.	[illegible]
Cowichan Creamery, per lb.	[illegible]
Salt Spring Island, lb.	[illegible]
Nandigats, lb.	[illegible]
Our Own Brand, lb.	[illegible]
New Zealand Creamery, lb.	[illegible]
Alberta, bulk, lb., 40, or 3 lbs.	1.40
Eggs—	
B.C. fresh, extras	40
B.C. fresh, firsts	37
Pullets, extras	35
Cheese—	
B.C. Cream Cheese, lb.	[illegible]
B.C. Solids, lb.	[illegible]
Finest Ontario, solid, per lb.	[illegible]
Finest Ontario, matured, lb.	[illegible]
Edam Dutch Cheese, lb.	[illegible]
Gouda Cheese, per lb.	[illegible]
Gorgonzola, per lb.	[illegible]
Swiss Gruyere, in portions, box	[illegible]
English Stilton, lb.	[illegible]
Imported Roquefort, lb.	[illegible]
Kraft Brand Camembert, box	[illegible]
Circle Brand Breakfast Cheese	[illegible]
Kraft, lb.	[illegible]
Golden Loaf	[illegible]
N.S. Loaf	[illegible]

MEATS, POULTRY, FISH, VEGETABLES, NUTS, FRUITS: [illegible]

New Fard Dates, lb.	[illegible]
California Cluster Raisins, box and	[illegible]
Coconuts, each	15 and .20
Pineapples	[illegible]
Honeydew Melons, each	[illegible]
California Prunes, lb.	[illegible]
New Local Apples, 6 lbs.	[illegible]
Apples, Delicious, lb.	[illegible]
Box	[illegible]
Newtown Pippins, 3 lbs. 25; box	[illegible]
Northern Spy, 6 lbs. 25; box	[illegible]
Spitzenburg, 6 lbs. 25; box	[illegible]
Tokay Grapes, lb.	[illegible]
Red Emperor Grapes, lb.	[illegible]
Arizona Grapefruit, 6 for	[illegible]
Smyrna Figs, lb.	[illegible]
Fard Dates, lb.	[illegible]

Wholesale Row

(Revised February 5, 1929)

MEAT

Beef, No. 1 Steer, per lb.	18
Beef Cow, per lb.	17
Veal, per lb.	20 to 22
Hogs, per lb.	17½
Shoulders, per lb.	16
Loins, per lb.	25
Legs, per lb.	24
Breakers, per lb.	[illegible]
Lamb, per lb.	[illegible]
Tongue, per lb.	[illegible]
Liver, per lb.	.13

FISH, POULTRY, EGGS, DAIRY PRODUCE, ETC., FRUIT, VEGETABLES: [illegible]

NUTS

Almonds, per lb.	.20
Manchurian walnuts, per lb.	.14
California walnuts, per lb.	[illegible]
Chestnuts, per lb.	[illegible]
Popping corn, per lb.	.10

FLOUR

Purity	[illegible]
Five Roses	[illegible]
Maple Leaf	[illegible]
Royal Standard	[illegible]
S. & K. Pastry	[illegible]
Whole Wheat	[illegible]
Quaker Flour	[illegible]
Robin Hood	[illegible]

INVESTMENT FIRM CHARTER UNIQUE

Canadian Investors' Corporation Has Only One Class of Security Outstanding

The Canadian Investors Corporation, Limited, 80,000 shares of whose capital stock is now being publicly offered by McLeod, Young, Weir & Co., Limited, at $26.50 a share, is in many respects unique among Canadian investment companies. It has, for example, only one class of security outstanding, common stock. There are no preferred stocks, debentures nor bonds ranking ahead of the no-par value common shares. The purpose of the corporation is to obtain for the holders of its securities the benefits of experienced investment management and constant supervision of their funds and to afford participation in a diversification of selected securities and in underwritings.

Then again, it has very wide powers enabling it to buy, sell and hold securities of all kinds and to participate in underwritings, syndicates and enterprises, and the management is not bound by restrictions likely to hamper it in the successful employment of the corporation's funds. The earlier investment trusts on this continent were highly restricted by their charters in respect to the investment policy they could follow. These restrictions, in many instances, were found to handicap the management in making money for the shareholders, and care has been taken in drafting the charter of Canadian Investors Corporation to avoid such burdensome restrictions.

The management of Canadian Investors Corporation is vested in the investment banking firm of McLeod, Young, Weir & Co., under a long-term renewable contract, and the reputation of this firm for integrity and financial ability is the best assurance to shareholders in the corporation that their funds will be profitably administered. A recent compilation shows that the investor who bought every stock underwritten by McLeod, Young, Weir & Co., since the inception of that firm eight years ago, would at present market prices have a profit of over $500 on every $1,000 invested, besides getting a good return on his money in the interval through dividends received.

MONEY MARKETS

LONDON, Feb 5.—Money, 3 1-8 per cent. Discount rates: Short bills, 4 1-4 to 5 3-16 per cent; three months' bills 4 3-8 per cent.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Feb 5.—Call money, easy; high 7, low 5, ruling rate, 7; closing bid, 5. Time loans, steady; mixed collateral, 60-90 days, 7 1-2; 4-6 months, 7 1-2. Prime mercantile paper, 5 1-2. Bankers' acceptances, unchanged.

A slight COLD may develop into grip or influenza. Don't give it a chance to get worse. Promptly take

Grove's BROMO QUININE

LAXATIVE TABLETS

SUPPLIES ARE LIBERAL AND PRICES EASY

Consignments of Vegetables Arrive Each Week on Local Produce Markets From South

EGG VALUES SHOW TENDENCY TO DROP

Buying continued easy on both the wholesale and retail markets yesterday, with all supplies liberal. Fresh shipments of leading vegetables were received and sales made at steady prices. The trading, according to the leading jobbers, is slightly improved since the thaw started, but they firmly assert that frosts at night are affecting not only the quotations but the produce.

Advices from shipping points in the Middle West and along the Pacific Coast as far south as San Francisco, state that the crops are in fairly good shape, after the recent cold snap. From the South consignments of vegetables, including cabbage, celery, spinach and head lettuce are arriving each week.

POTATOES STEADY

The potato market is holding steady, both locally and at outside shipping points. Despite the recent cold weather, the local farmers are moving their shipments in a regular manner. Word from the Interior to distributors here show that the prices are on the upward trend. Kamloops Gems jumped from $1.75 a sack to $2.10, while Ashcroft Gems went from $1.95 to $2.10. Highland Gems remain firm with the price at $1.50, and Up-to-Dates continued at $1.45 a sack. So far this Winter the dealers have been able to supply the large demand, and with the stock they have on hand the situation seems clear. The potato supply this season is a little below that of last year, but the quality is practically the same. Sweet potatoes declined one cent per pound during the week and now sell at 7 cents.

COMPARING MARKETS

Comparing the local market with the Washington, the jobbers state that it is far above the United States mart. Yakima shippers are moving their crop slowly, due to the cold weather, while Idaho shipments have been down considerably, with their movements hampered by heavy snows. The terminal markets in the Middle States do not respond to lighter arrivals, and therefore a heavy surplus is reported.

MEAT PRICES

The weather was also reflected in the meat prices, according to the revised list released by P. Burns & Company, for every meat showed an increase of two or three cents, with the exception of tongue, ham and liver. It is anticipated that prices will drop back to normal when the cold terminates.

Due to severity of the Eastern weather and the rapid approach of the storage season, egg market prices dropped on the Wholesale Row. The values on top grades are as follows: British Columbia extras, 30 cents, B.C. firsts, 28 cents, pullet extras, 28 cents, and peewees, 20 cents a dozen. The retailers are quoting 5 to 8 cents higher on each grade. Leading dealers, however, believe the market was in line for the lower values because of the weakness in the East. With the jobbers planning to put away their usual quantity of eggs, it is probable that some considerable pressure will be displayed on the mart for the next few weeks.

Butter remains firm in tone, with supplies cleaning up daily. Some storage brands are moving and cooler stocks are in a good position. When the storage butter cleans up, the local creamerymen expect to see the market on a normal basis. The prices to the public appear satisfactory, with wholesalers asking from 42 1-2 cents to 45 cents, while it retails from 48 to 65 cents. The higher priced brands come from Cowichan and Salt Spring Island, and are considered to be of the best quality that can be produced.

News of the Mines

(From Solloway, Mills & Co., Vancouver, through H. E. Huntings & Co., Ltd.)

Mining Corporation — Although production at Mining Corporation for 1928 showed a marked decline over the preceding year, due to the exhaustion of high-grade silver shoots at their frontier property, in South Lorraine, the situation is now viewed with alarm, due to the many promising properties now being explored by this company. Shaft sinking is proceeding at their property two miles south of the frontier similar to that of the Murray property adjoining Noranda. Their latest acquisition in British Columbia gives promise of showing profitable returns by the end of 1929 or the first of 1930. In the meantime, their treasury is in exceptionally sound position and the dividend does not appear to be in danger.

Amity—A report from Boston Creek states that station cutting has been completed at the 600-foot level of Amity and crosscutting is now in progress to intersect their copper ore zone, which was of splendid grade on the upper levels.

Wright Hargreaves—We understand that the new vein at the 2,000-foot level of Wright Hargreaves has now been drifted for a length of ninety feet. Width and grade are stated to be holding up well as those of 1,750 horizon where an average grade of between $18 and $16 is being drifted on over a six-foot width.

Grandview—We understand that in order to further speed up development of Grandview, a third churn drill has been ordered. In addition to this a new compressor of sufficient size to operate from eight to ten more drills is on the way to the mine. The installation of this will permit mining on a scale up to 1,000 tons daily capacity. It should be noted that very little exploration work has been carried out by this company below the 200-foot level, but already several years' ore reserves at present capacity of around 400 tons daily output have been put in sight.

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Mining News

By Miller, Court & Co., Ltd.

L. & L. Increase Capitalization—An increase in capitalization of L. & L. Consolidated Mines, Ltd., from $500,000 to $1,500,000 by the creation of 4,000,000 new shares of 25 cents par value, was authorized at a general meeting of shareholders of the company. A report submitted to the meeting by the mine superintendent showed that satisfactory results are being obtained from development of the company's property, located in the Portland Canal, present workings being in ten feet of ore.

Plan Mill for Metaline Mine—Immediate plans of the Pend Oreille Lead & Zinc Company, it has been announced by President Jensen, provide for the erection of an electrolytic zinc plant on Pend Oreille ground immediately adjoining the Grandview Mill site and just north of the town of Metaline. Mr. Jensen's plan provides for the opening up of the ore bodies already indicated by diamond drilling on the Sullivan and Josephine groups of the company by the sinking of a main working shaft on the east side of the Pend Oreille River and a tunnel underneath the river to reach the Sullivan and Josephine properties on the west side.

Tuesday's Sales—Sales on the Vancouver Stock Exchange on Tuesday totaled 508,544 shares, valued at $304,144.

RANGE OF LOWEST TEMPERATURES IN B.C. LAST MONTH

Numerous requests having been made with regard to temperature readings in British Columbia during January, Mr. F. Napier Denison, superintendent of Gonzales Observatory, has prepared the following list of the lowest temperatures as recorded at certain Dominion meteorological observing stations in British Columbia.

Victoria, 14 degrees above F.; Duncan, 2 below zero; Alberni, 4 above; Sooke, 11 above; Ganges, 8 above; Ucluelet, 12 above; Nanaimo, 12 above; Vancouver, 7 above; Ladner, 3 below; New Westminster, 8 above; Chilliwack, 4 above; Agassiz, 5 above; Salmon Arm, 18 below; Penticton, 8 below; Oliver, 10 below; Armstrong, 26 below; Princeton, 27 below; Merritt, 33 below; Rock Creek, 30 below; Invermere, 22 below; Greenwood, 26 below; Cranbrook, 34 below; Grand Forks, 26 below; Field, 32 below; Golden, 40 below; Glacier, 26 below; Kamloops, 22 below; Quesnel, 42 below; Prince George, 50 below; Prince Rupert, 8 above.

Ss. Canadian Farmer sailed from Ogden Point early this morning after loading 200,000 feet of lumber and 11,000 bundles of lath for San Pedro.

NO MORE GAS IN STOMACH

Daily Use of Bisurated Magnesia Keeps Stomach Healthy and Free From Indigestion

Gas in the stomach and indigestion are due, in nearly every case, to the presence of harmful acid in the stomach, creating sourness, fermentation and the pain of delayed digestion. These dangerous and unpleasant conditions may be stopped instantly and further attacks prevented by the daily use, following meals, of Bisurated Magnesia which neutralizes the dangerous acid the moment it forms in the stomach and thus permits easy, painless, natural digestion. Bisurated Magnesia is the surest and quickest stomach antacid in the world and is perfectly harmless to use. It is daily used by thousands of people all over the civilized world. The cost is trifling and it can be obtained either in powder or tablet form at any well stocked drug store. Do not confuse with other forms of magnesia. Insist on Bisurated. Try a package today, and say good bye to stomach trouble. (Advt.)

Important Notices, Employment, Business and Professional Directory, Wants, Etc.

The Daily Colonist

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One and one-half cents a word each insertion, nine cents a word a week, with a minimum of ten words, cash with order. No advertisement accepted for less than twenty-five cents.

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Business or Professional Cards of two lines or under, $7.00 per month. Additional space at $1.25 per line per month.

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The Colonist service is available every day from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m., excepting Sundays. Just call 11

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10 COMING EVENTS (Continued)

COURT LIBERTY, A.O.F., REGULAR meeting, Friday, 8th. 10-cent dance after. Larmon's Orchestra.

LAKE HILL COMMUNITY CENTRE dance, under the auspices Ward Two Saanich Conservative Association, Friday, February 8, dancing 9 to 1. Pill's Orchestra, refreshments. Admission 50c.

LOBA DANCE, ORANGE HALL, Saanichton, Friday, February 8, 9-1. Melodians two-piece orchestra, refreshments. Admission 50c.

MR. MAN, IF BETWEEN 21-50 YEARS and can pass doctor, etc., you are eligible to join the Loyal Order of Moose. Further information from supervisor, P.O. Box 693, Victoria.

NATIONAL MOTOR HOCKEY CLUB dance, Foresters Hall, Friday, Feb. 8. Novelties, refreshments, 9-1. Ladies 50c, gents 75c.

SCOTTISH DANCE TO BE HELD AT Colwood Hall Friday, February 8, at 8.30 p.m. Tickets 50c, refreshments.

THE PRO PATRIA BRANCH, CANADIAN Legion, B.E.S.L., will hold another popular dance in the auditorium, 625 Courtney Street, on Thursday, at 8.00. Members and friends invited.

13 WANTED—MALE HELP

AUTOMOBILE-ENGINEERING

A COURSE OF TRAINING with us will secure you a situation in a successful trade at good wages. Enroll now. We Teach You Right.

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BOY WITH WHEEL TO ASSIST IN wholesale warehouse; good opportunity for advancement. Give full particulars Box 1421, Colonist.

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EARN $10 TO $20 A WEEK IN YOUR spare time at home writing showcards. No canvassing or soliciting. We instruct you and supply you with work. Write today. The Menhenitt Company, Limited, 64 Dominion Building, Toronto.

NEW CAR SALESMAN WANTED — EXperienced; good proposition to right man. Full particulars to Box 1436, Colonist.

TWO CARPENTERS, EXPERIENCED IN construction camp work. Box 1375, Colonist.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED AUTOMOBILE salesman to sell Nash cars. Apply to Bree Motor Co., Ltd.

JOHN WOOD

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The Colonist Service is available from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m., excepting Sundays. Phone 11.

24 MUSIC (Continued)

ELSIE SNIDER—PIANO AND THEORY lessons at pupils' homes. 1605 Oliver street. Phone 6798L.

MISS FOX — PIANO LESSONS AT pupils' homes if desired. 2150 Burdett. Phone 3488L.

24B VIOLIN

ARRIE AND EDWARD SPENCER, noted English violinists and cellist; pupils phone 1265O. Orchestra being formed.

B.C. ACADEMY OF MUSIC—VIOLIN, Ernest Semple. Rooms 2641. Also Mitchell Street, Oak Bay, phone 2199.

FRANCIS GRATTAN, VIOLIN STUDIOS, 1500 Gort Street, and Hamley Building, corner Government and Broughton. Phone 6076L.

24C SINGING

SINGING, VOICE PRODUCTION. Old Italian School. Major J. A. P. Crampton, many years' experience. Phone 2857R1.

32 WANTED TO BORROW

$1,000—SECURITY, FAIRFIELD BUNGALOW. State lowest rate. Box 1814, Colonist.

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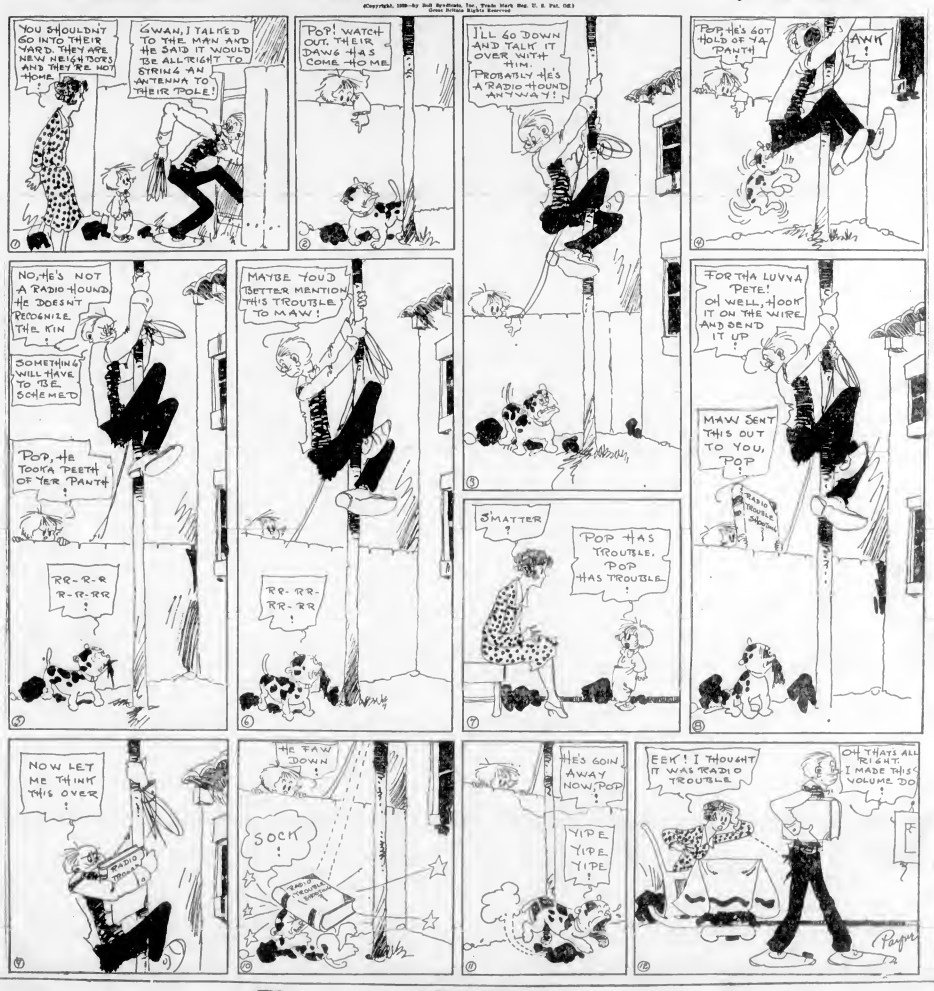

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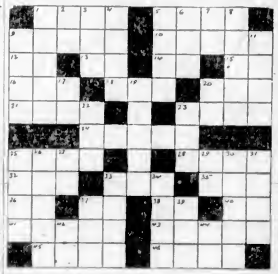
The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle



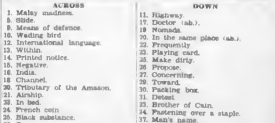
ACROSS

1. Malay madness.
5. Slide
8. Means of defence.
10. Wading bird
12. International language.
13. Within.
14. Printed notice.
15. Negative.
16. India.
18. Channel.
20. Tributary of the Amazon.
21. Airship.
22. In bed.
24. French coin.
25. Black substance.
28. Carve
33. Not on.
35. Kind of tree.
36. Openings.
38. In case that
37. Jewish month.
39. River in Livonia.
40. Engaged in.
41. Rent.
42. Schoolroom object.
43. Enticing.
46. Window glass.

DOWN

1. Solitary
2. Note of the scale.
3. Want Indian witchcraft.
4. Razor.
5. Resting place.
6. Cover.
7. Unit of germ plasm.
8. English money.
9. Song
11. Highway.
17. Doctor (ab.).
19. Nomads.
20. In the same place (ab.).
22. Frequently
23. Playing card.
25. Make dirty.
26. Propose.
27. Concerning.
29. Toward.
30. Pickling brat.
31. Detest.
32. Brother of Cain.
34. Fastening over a staple.
35. Man's name.
38. According to.
42. Diphthong
44. Unlawful spirits.

ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE



A couple of country visitors in the Strangers' Gallery of the House of Commons were trying to recognize the representative of their constituency. "I can't distinguish him," said one "I am not surprised," replied his companion, "He can't even distinguish himself!"

"The man who gives in when he is wrong," said the orator, "is a wise man, but he who gives in when he is right, is—"Married," said a weak voice from the back.

"The man who gives in when he is right, is—"Married," said a weak voice from the back.

Lawyer: "Then you say that this man was drunk?"

Witness: "I do not. I merely say that he sat in his car for three hours in front of an excavation waiting for the red light to turn green."

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Men's and Women's Shoes—A Pair	Children's Shoes—A Pair
$3.95 and $4.95	*95c to $2.95*

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A Noteworthy Value—Each, $27.50

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Most Inexpensively Priced

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At February Sale Prices

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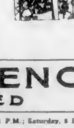

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